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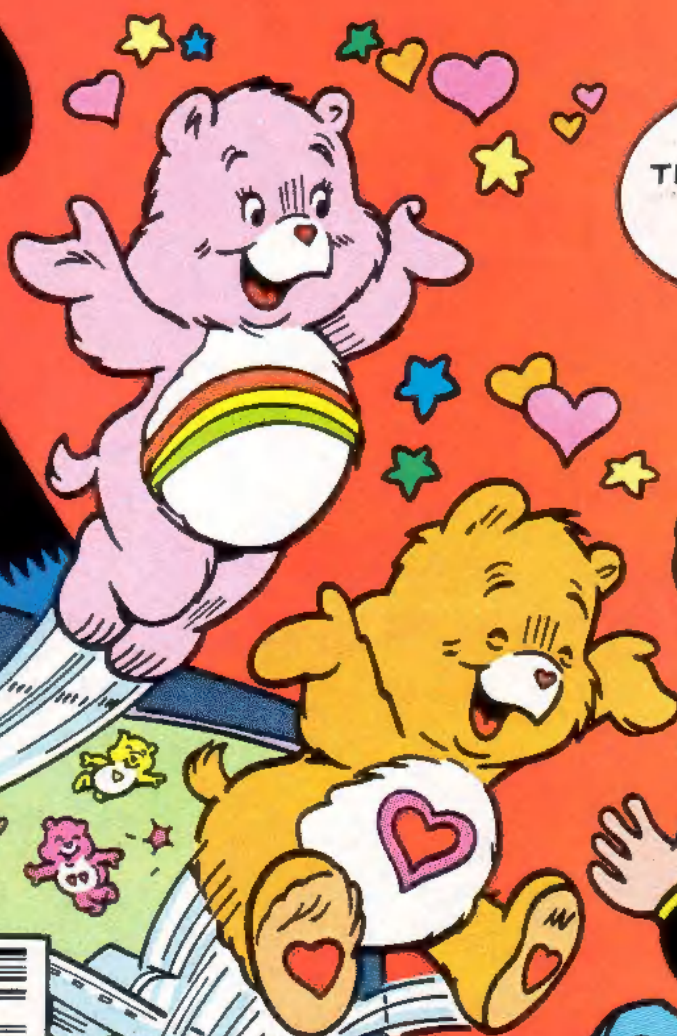
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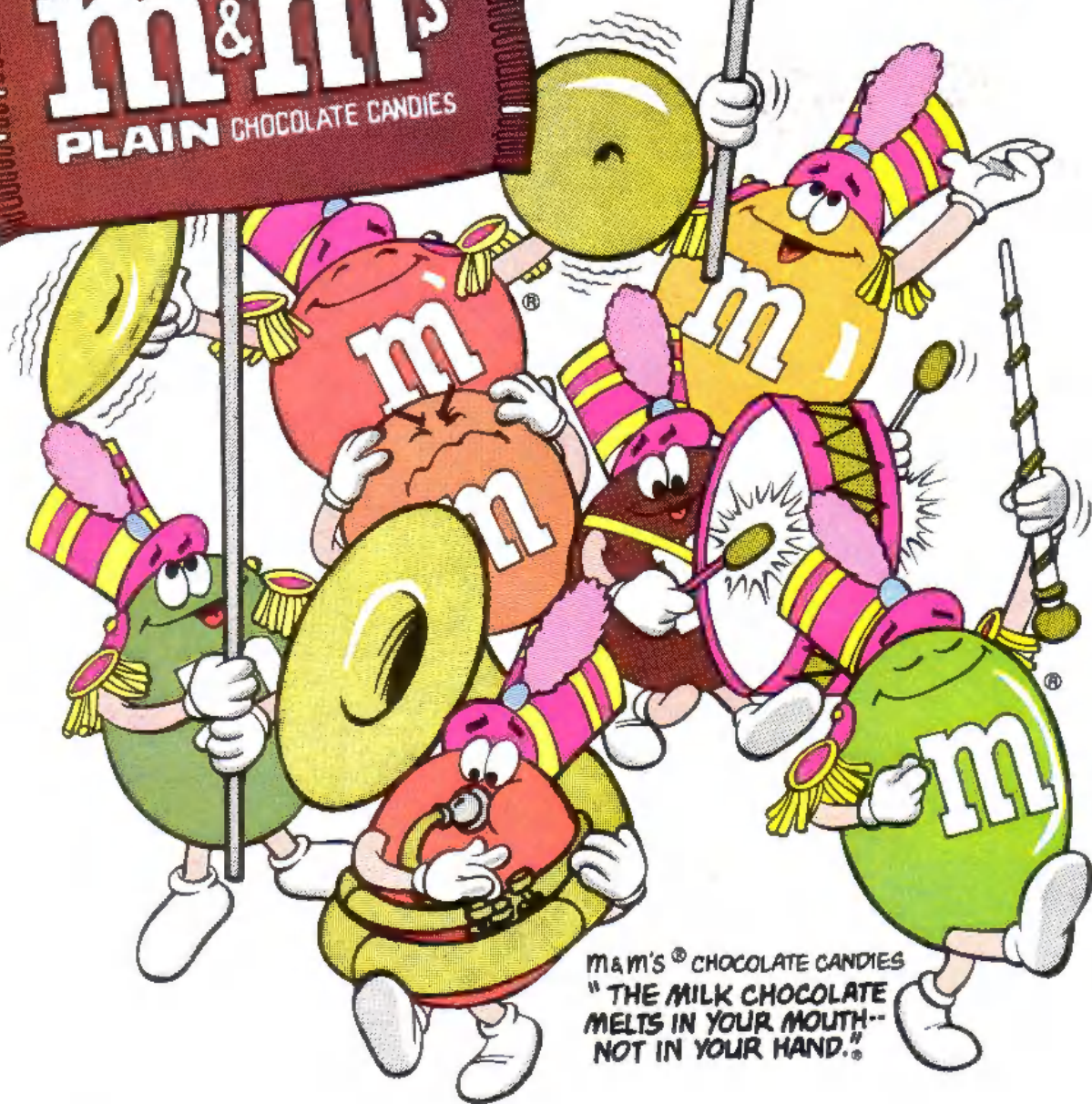
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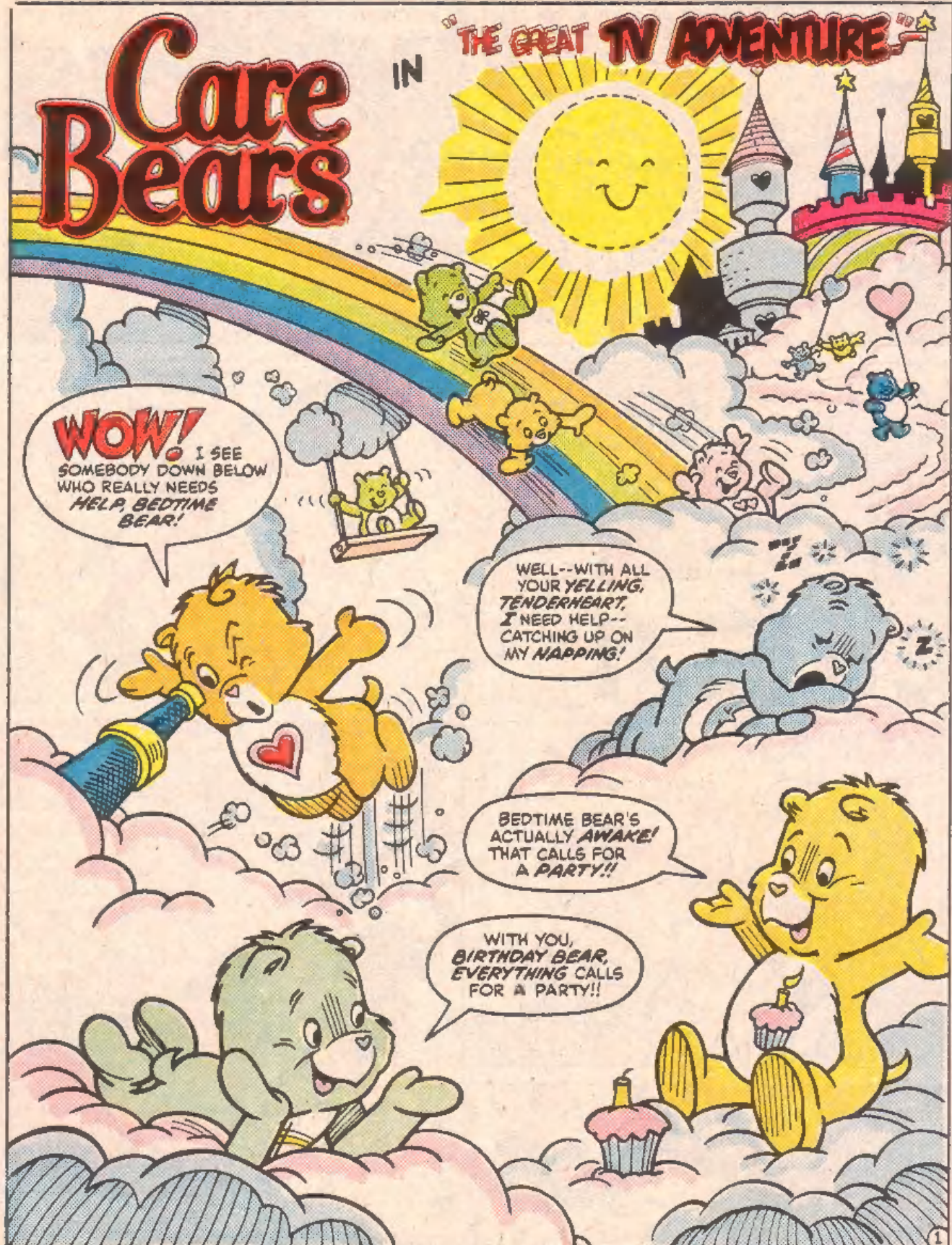
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Care Bears

IN **THE GREAT TV ADVENTURE**



WOW!

I SEE
SOMEBODY DOWN BELOW
WHO REALLY NEEDS
HELP, BEDTIME
BEAR!

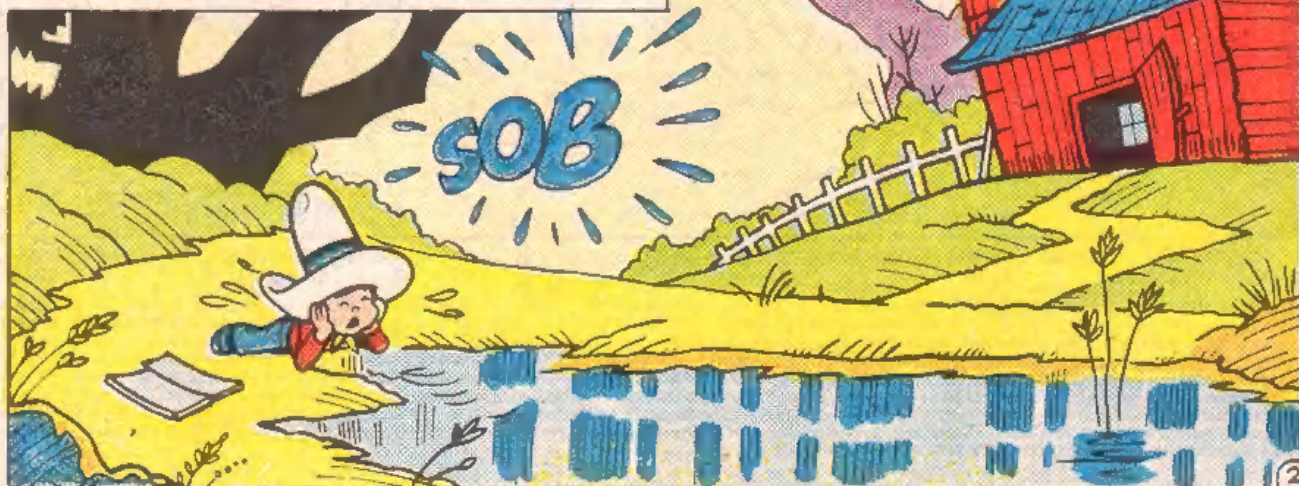
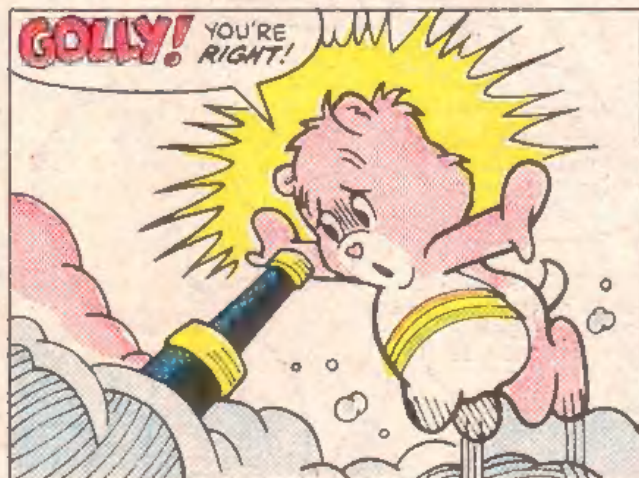
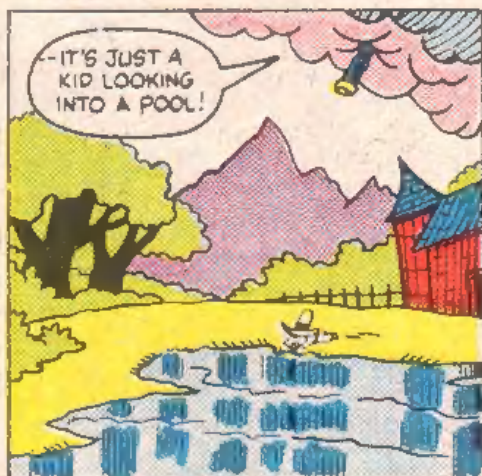
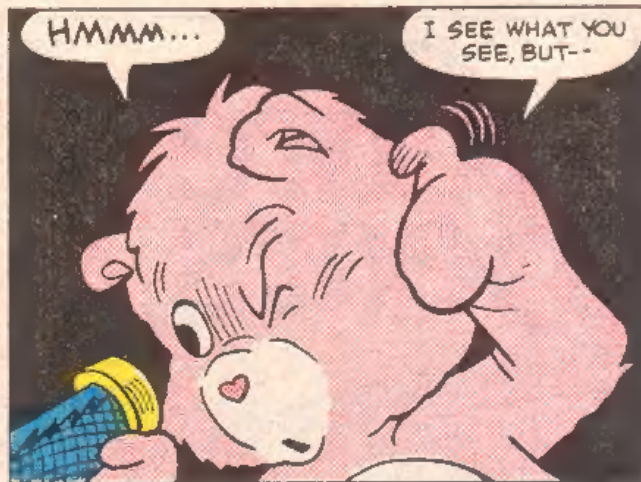
WELL--WITH ALL
YOUR YELLING,
TENDERHEART,
I NEED HELP--
CATCHING UP ON
MY HAPPING!

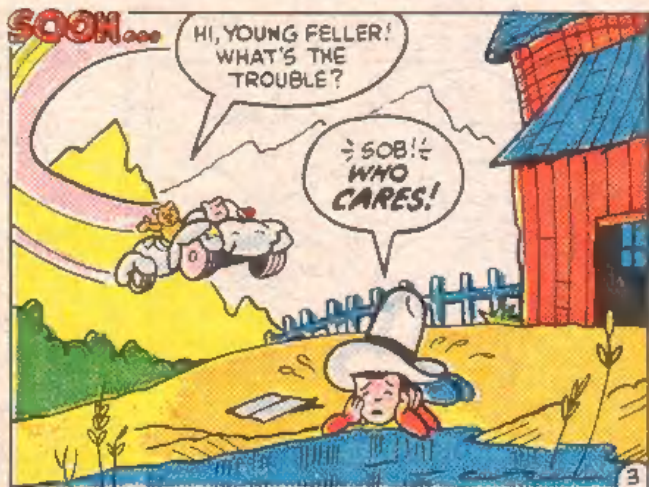
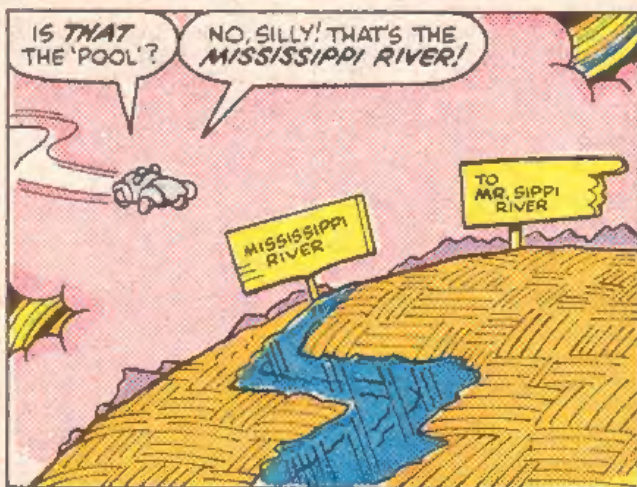
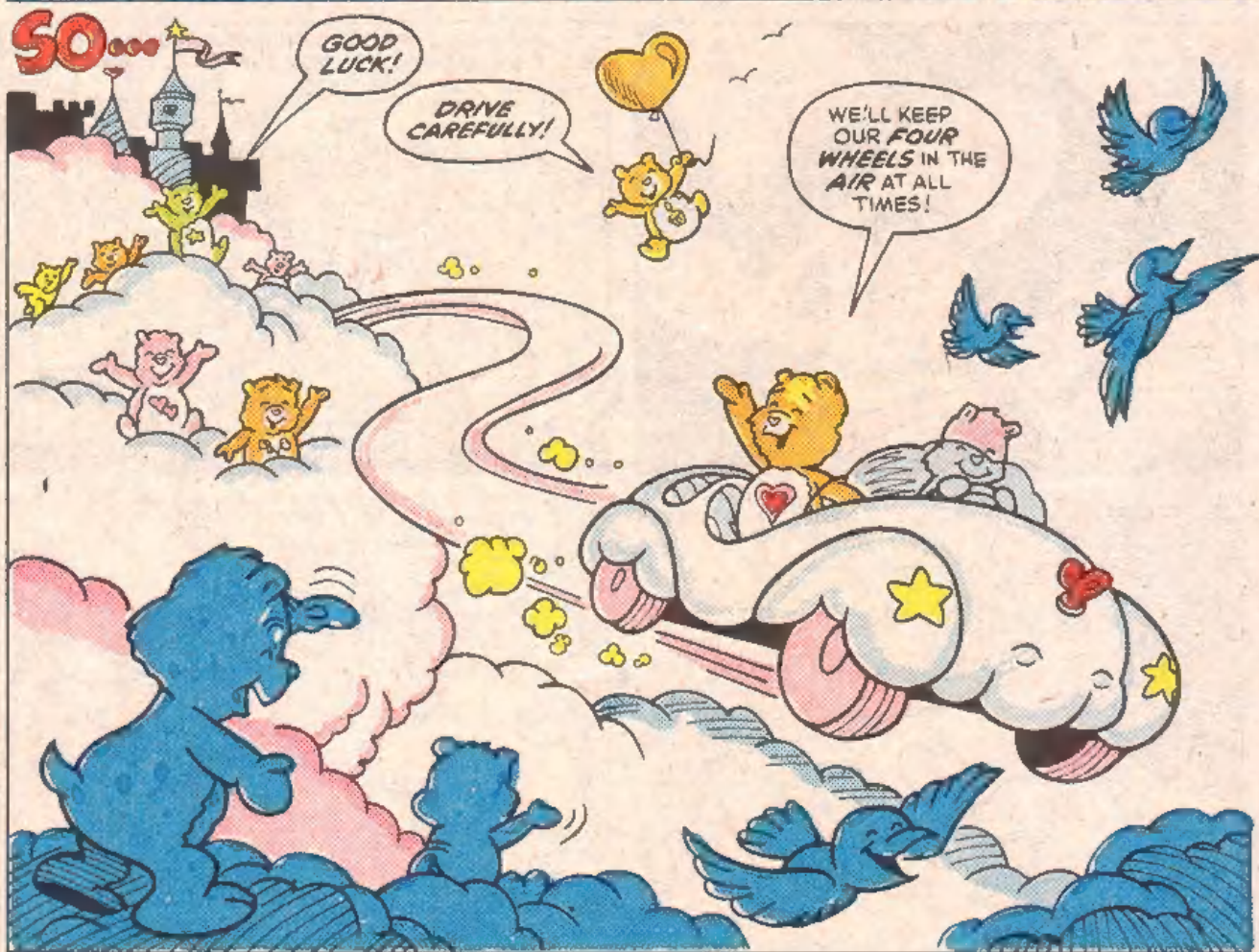
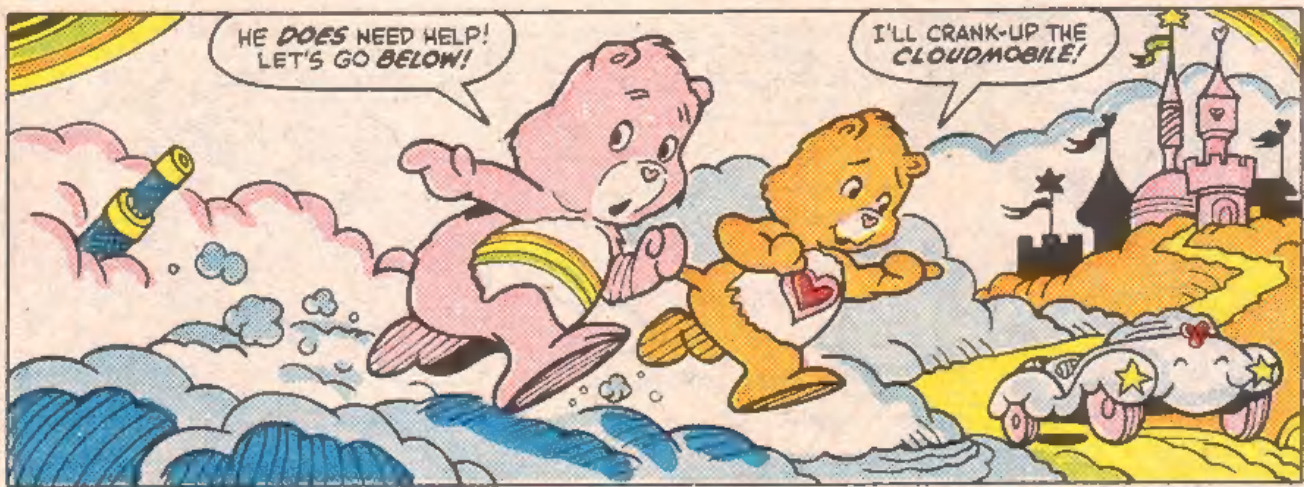
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THAT CALLS FOR
A PARTY!!

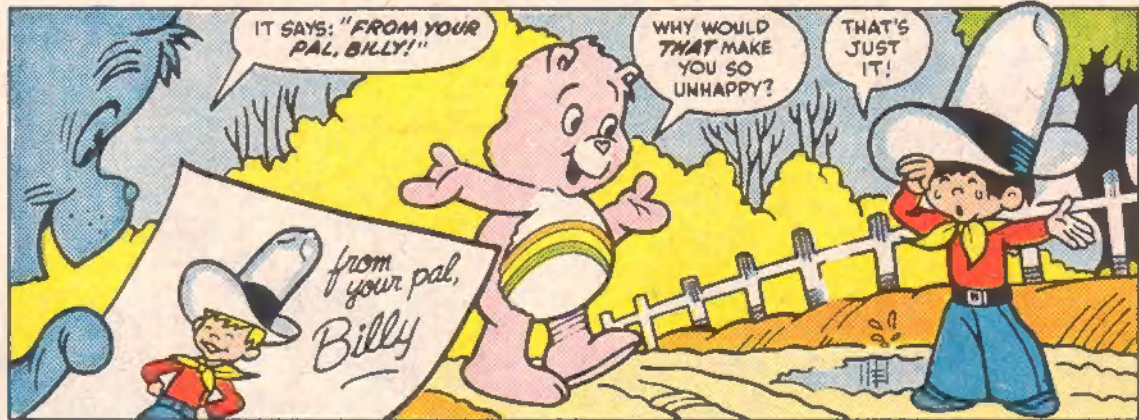
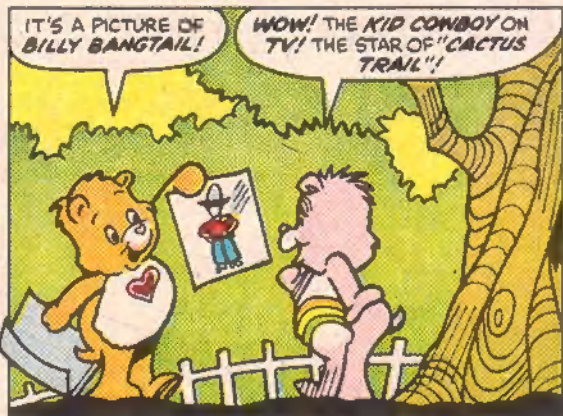
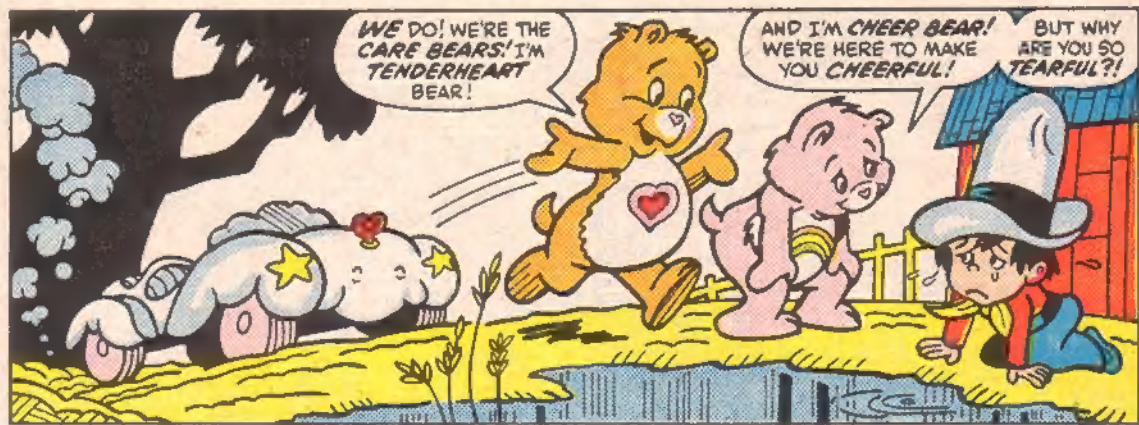
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EVERYTHING CALLS
FOR A PARTY!!

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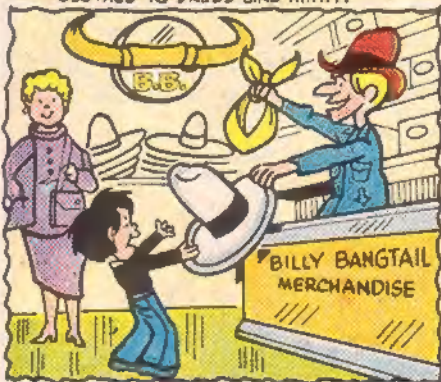
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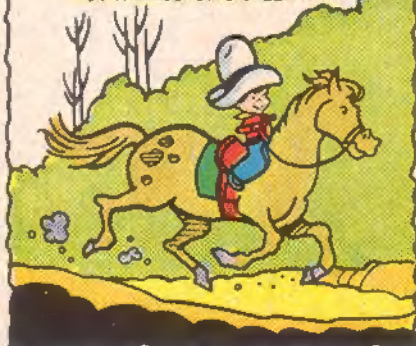




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"I EVEN GOT MOM AND DAD TO GET ME LESSONS SO I COULD LEARN TO RIDE A HORSE LIKE BILLY..."



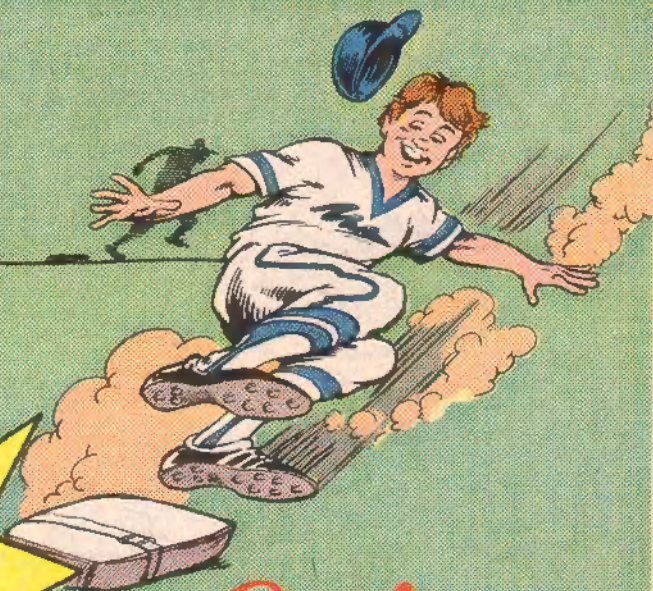
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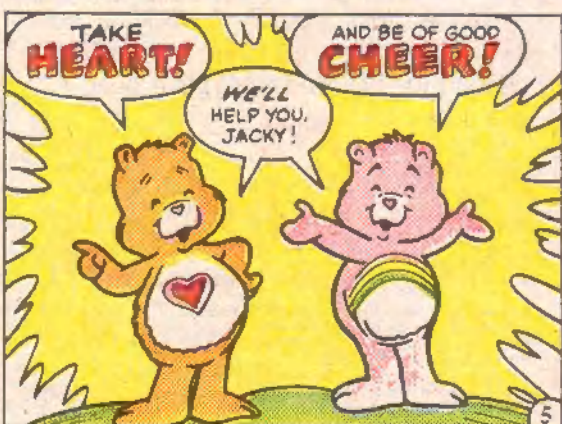
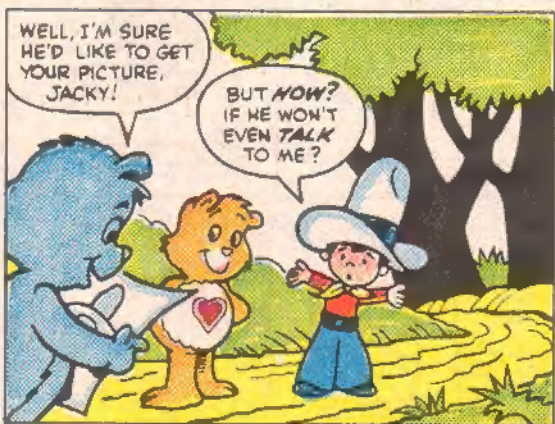
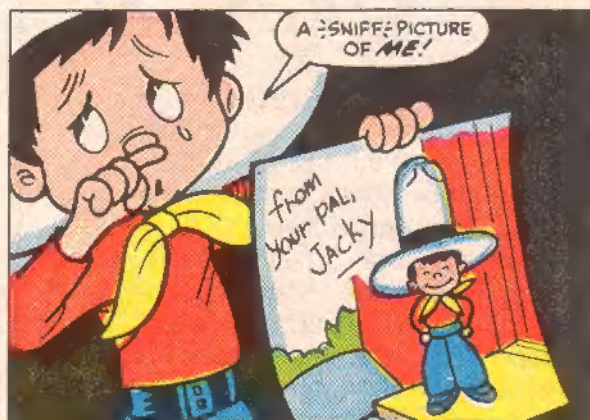
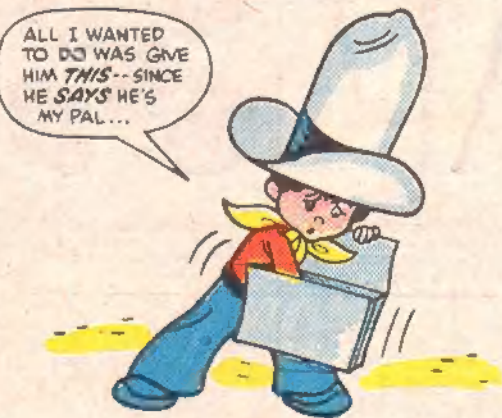
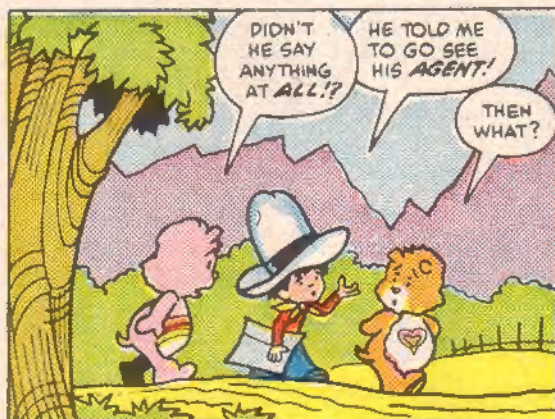
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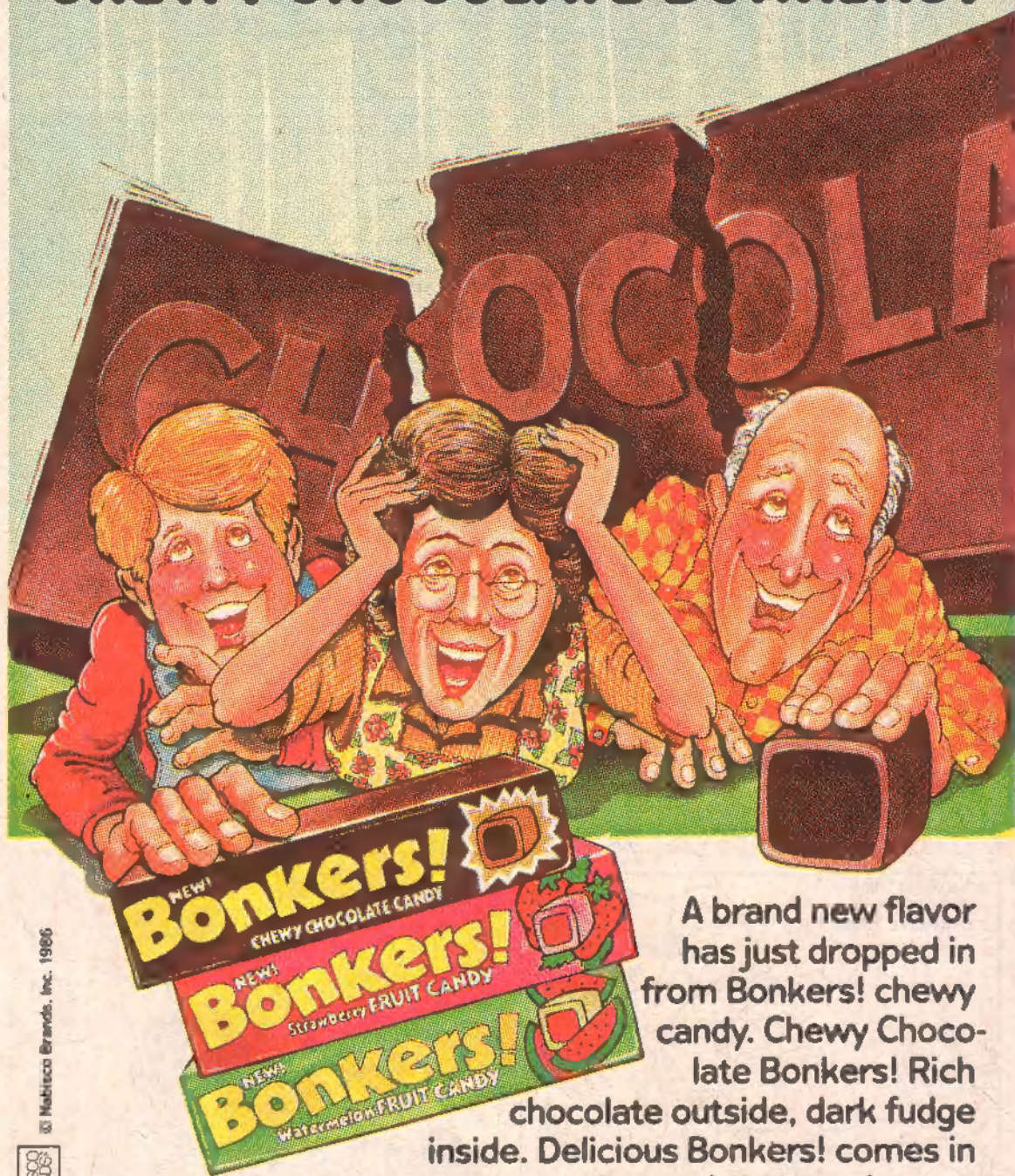
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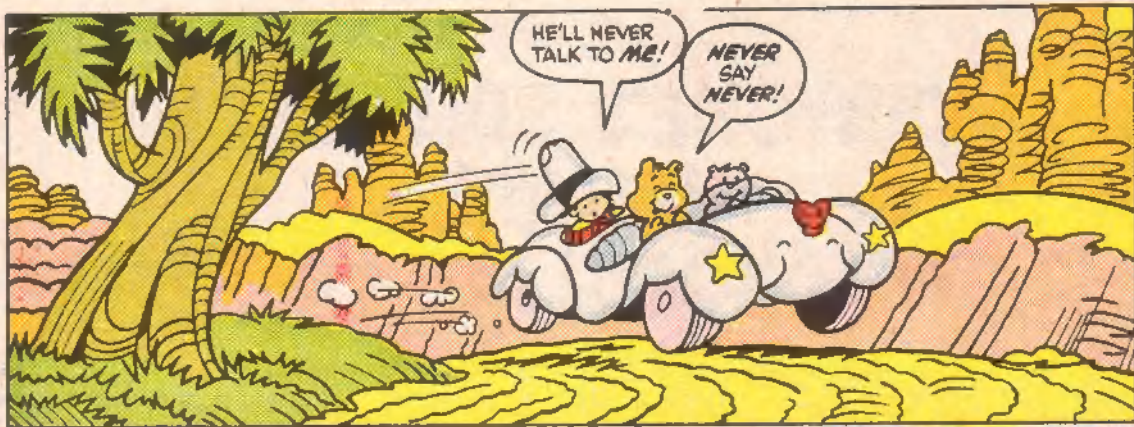




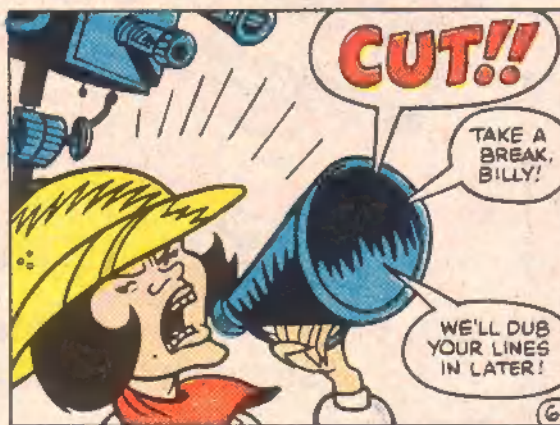
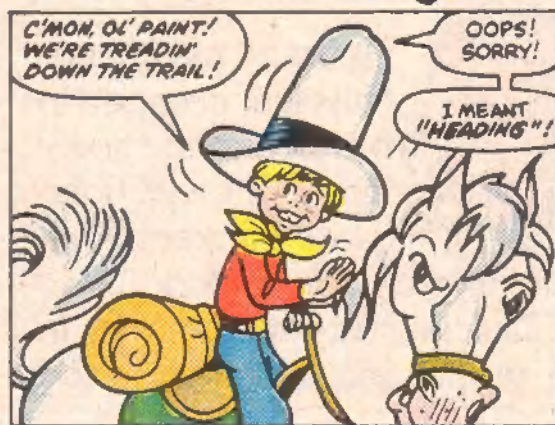
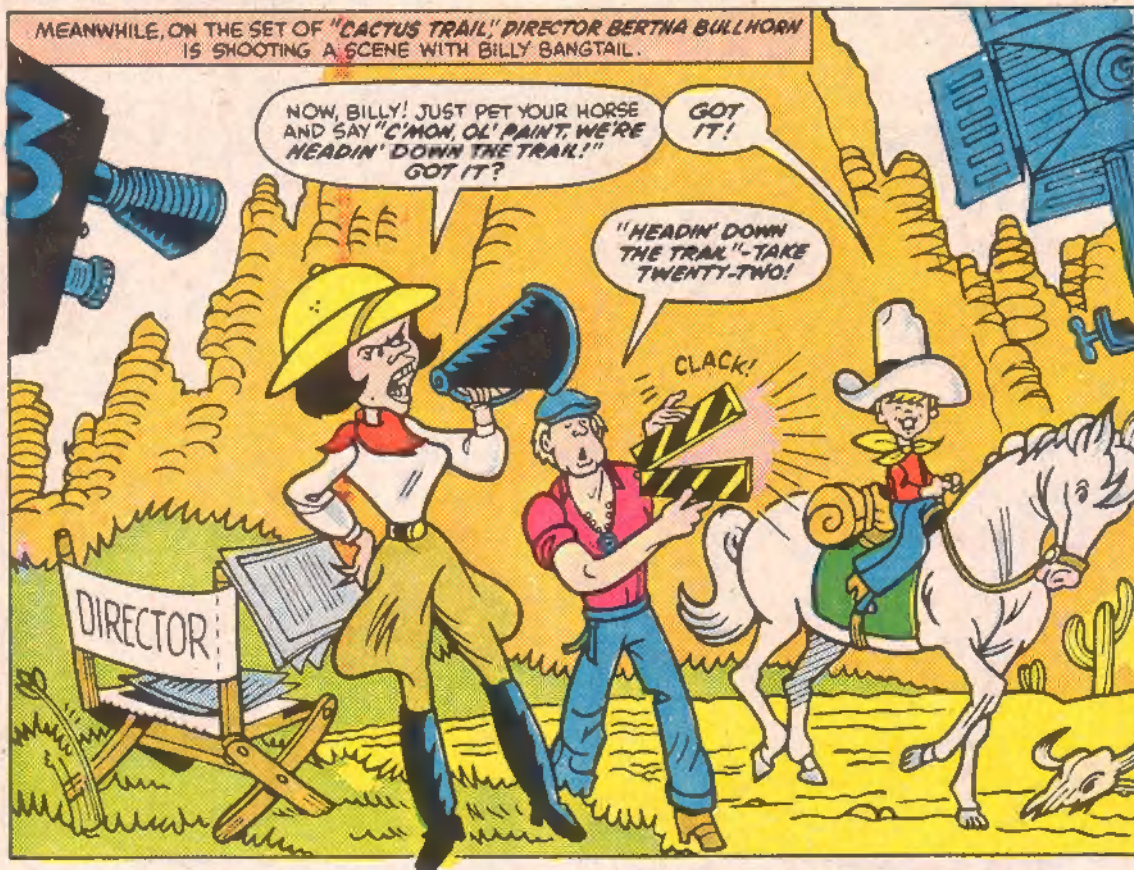
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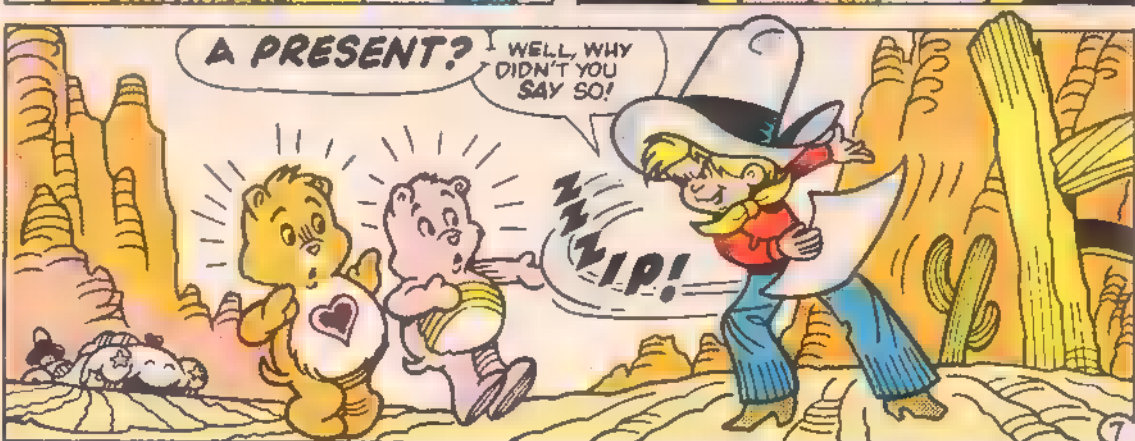
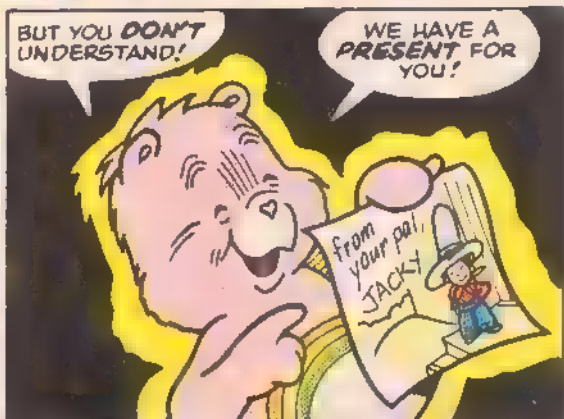
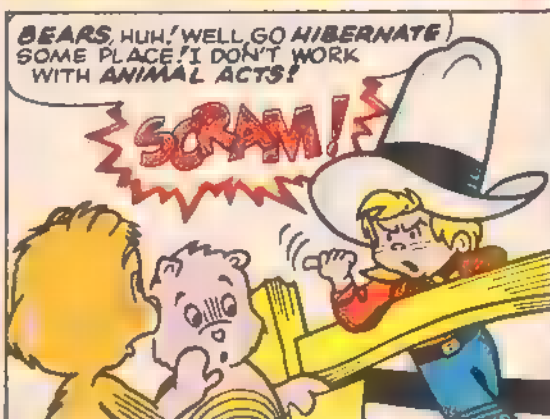
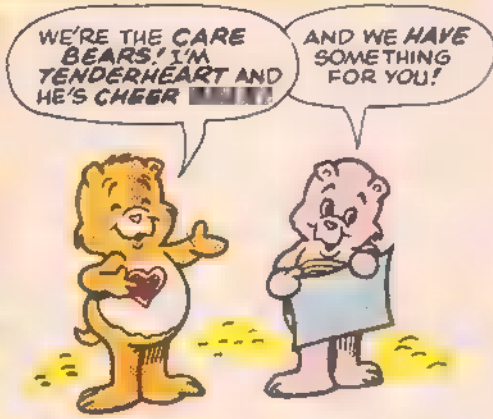
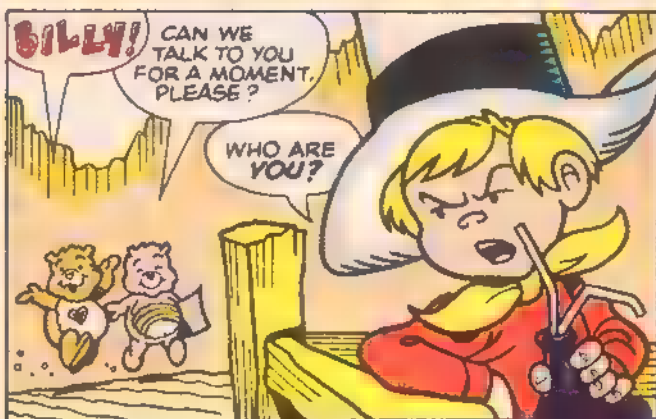
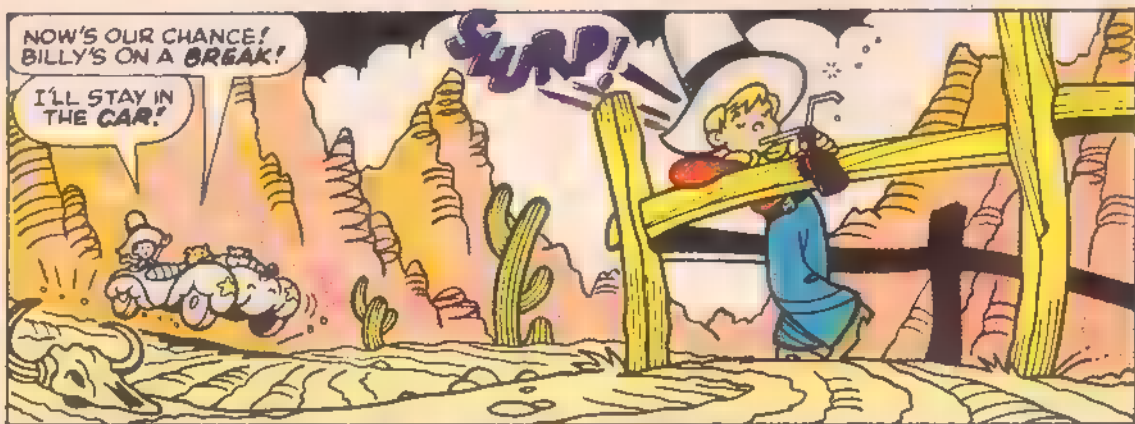


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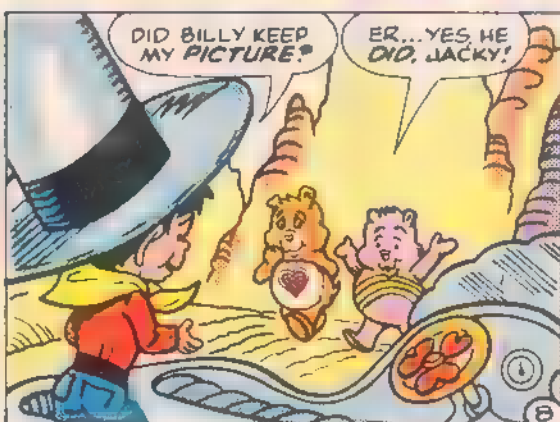
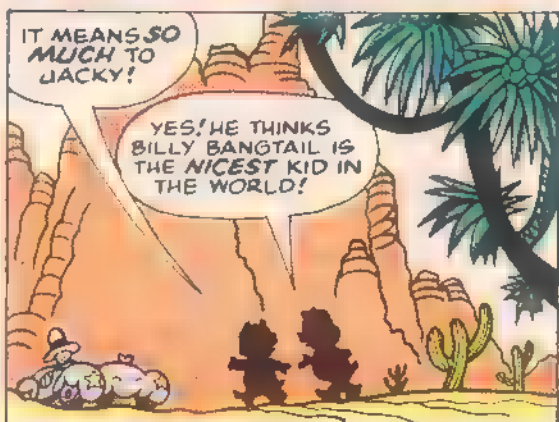
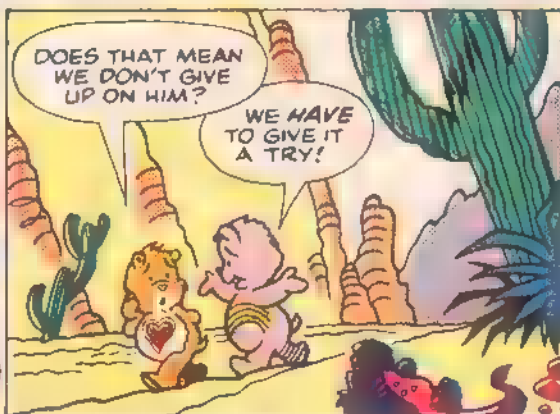
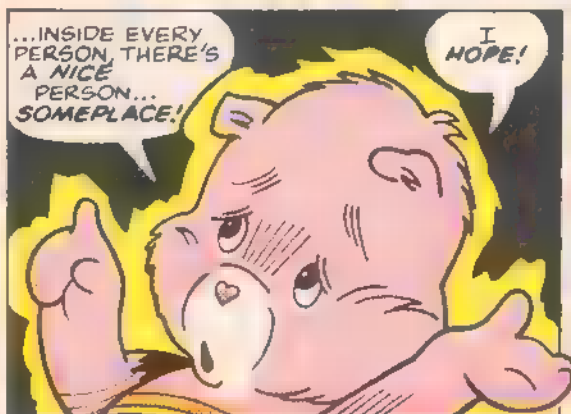
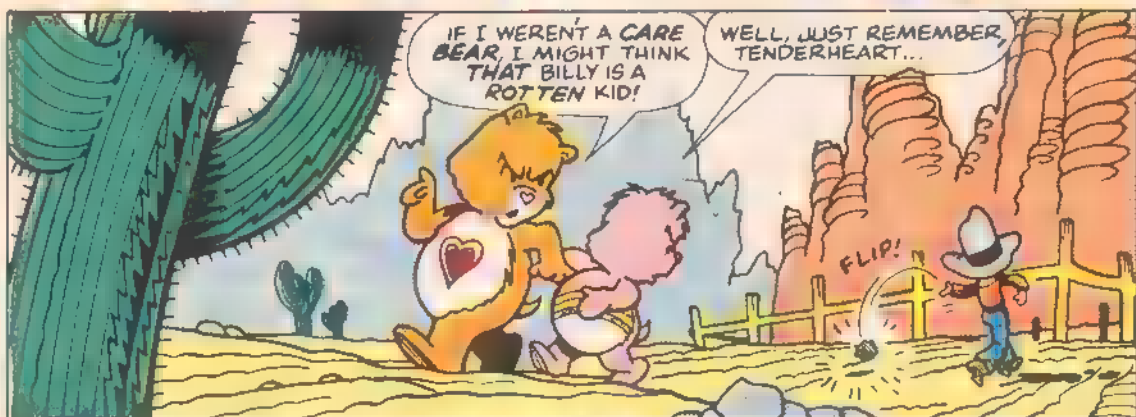
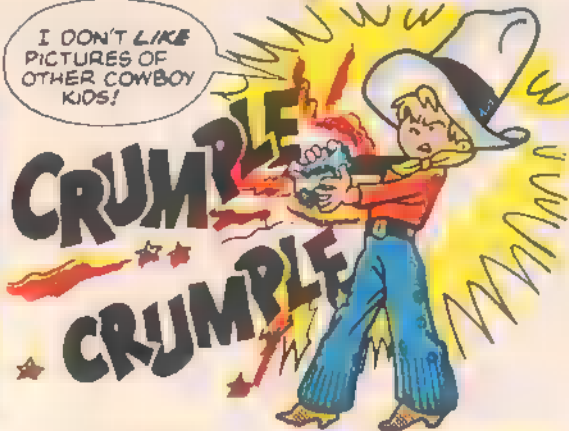
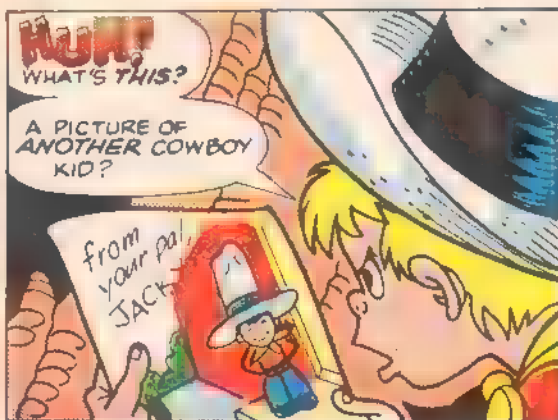
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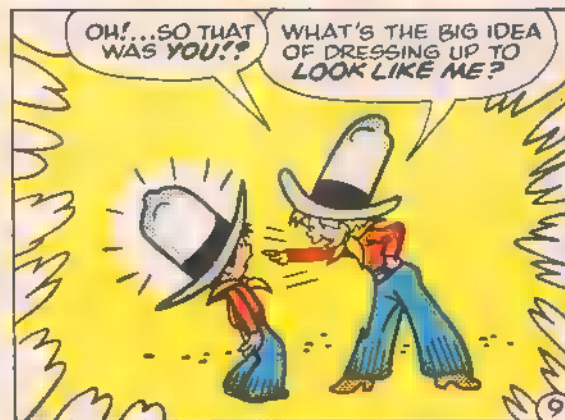
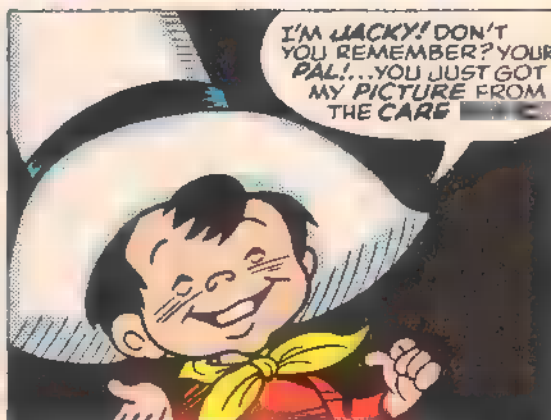
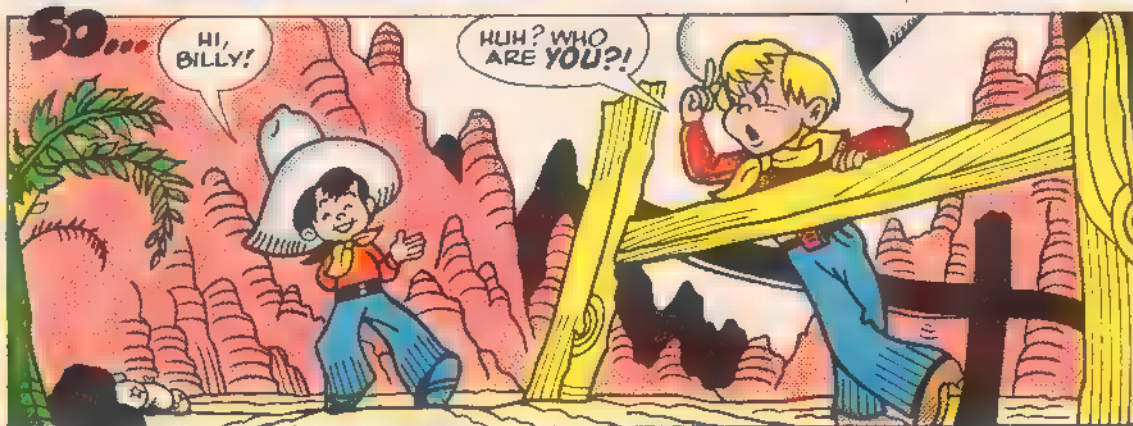
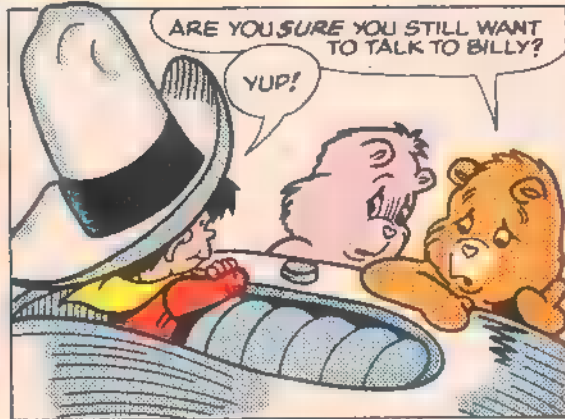
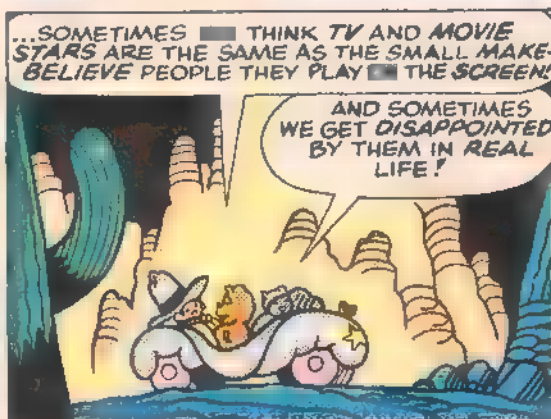
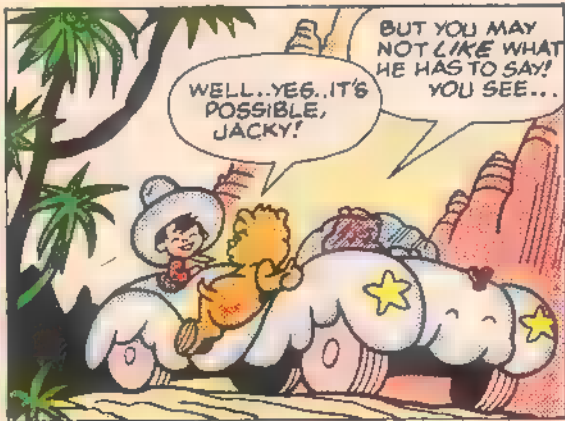
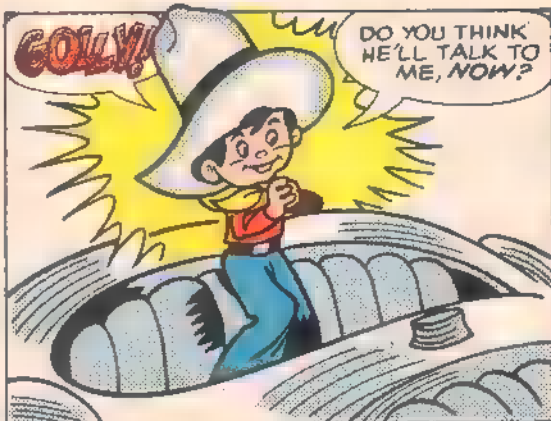
Can you help the
delicious **OREO** cookie
find the glass of milk?

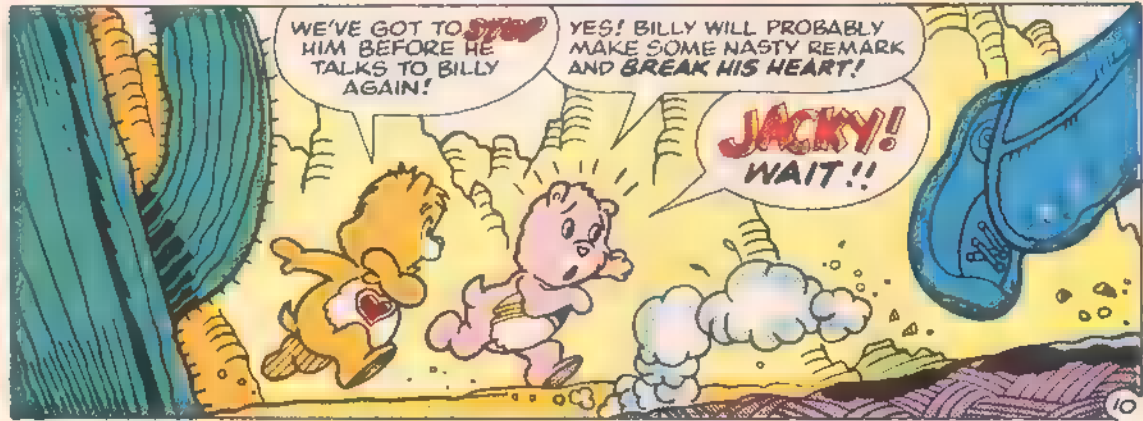
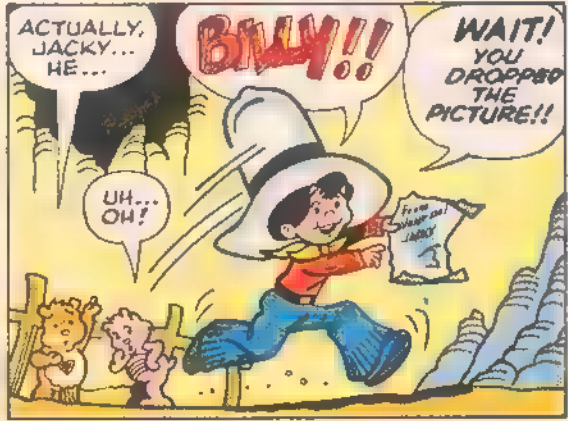
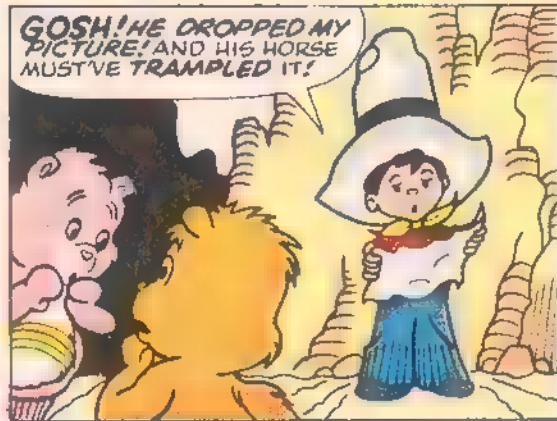
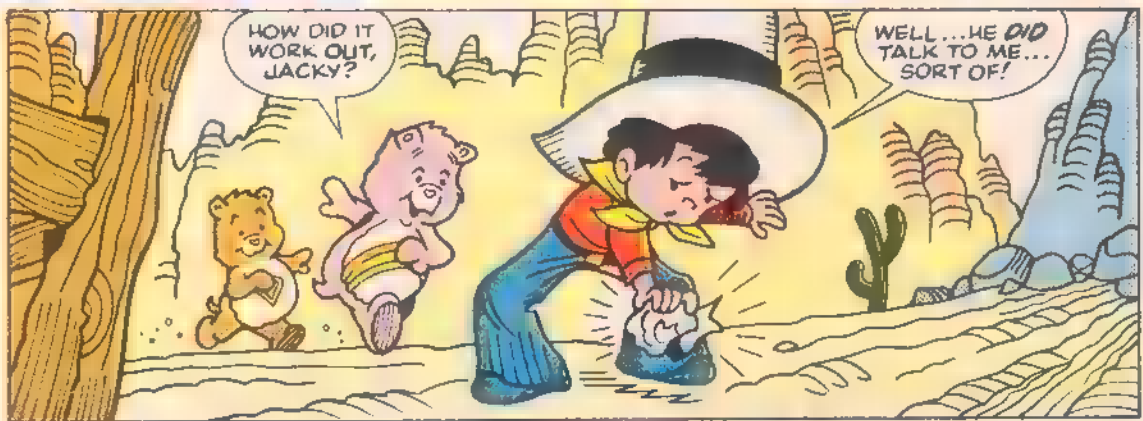
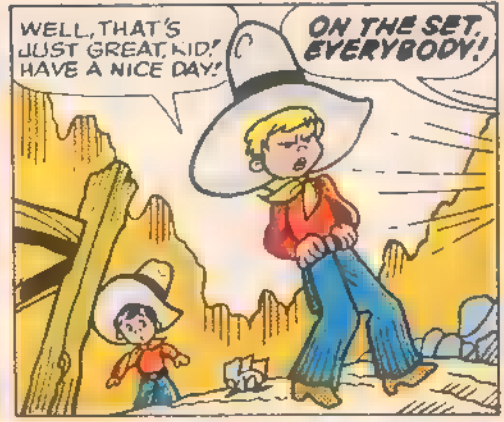
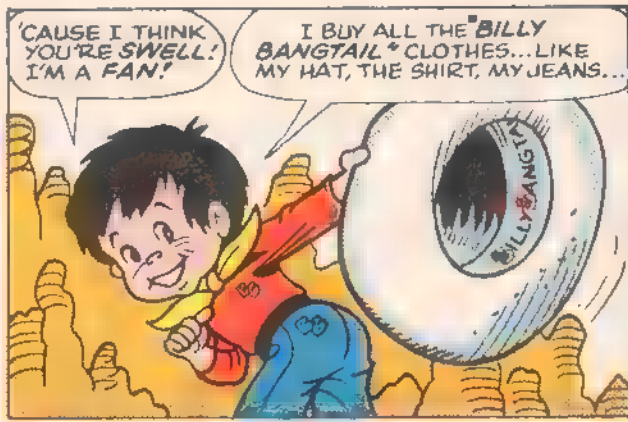


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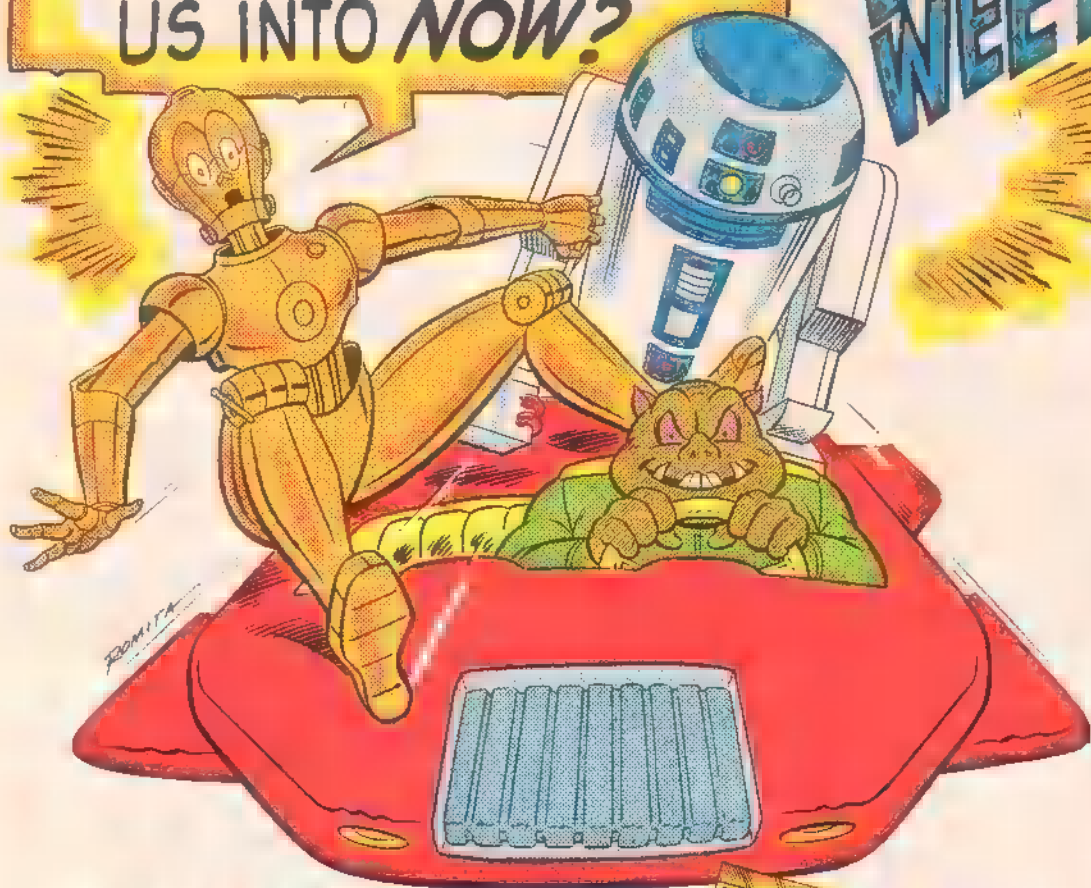






OH DEAR, ARTOO!
WHAT HAVE YOU GOTTEN
US INTO NOW?

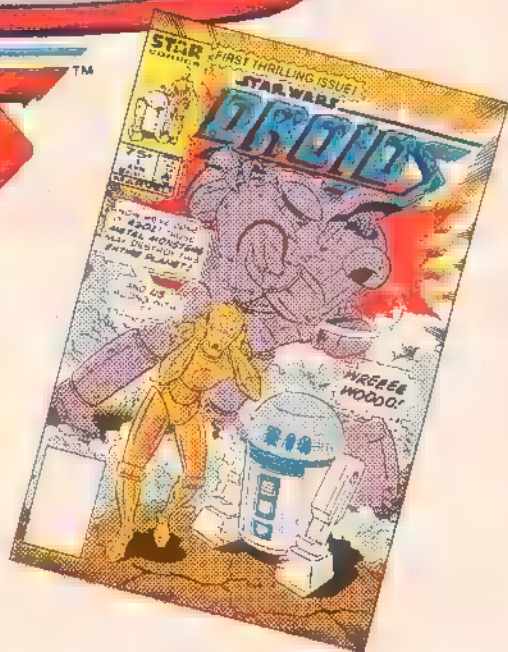
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PART II

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REBORN

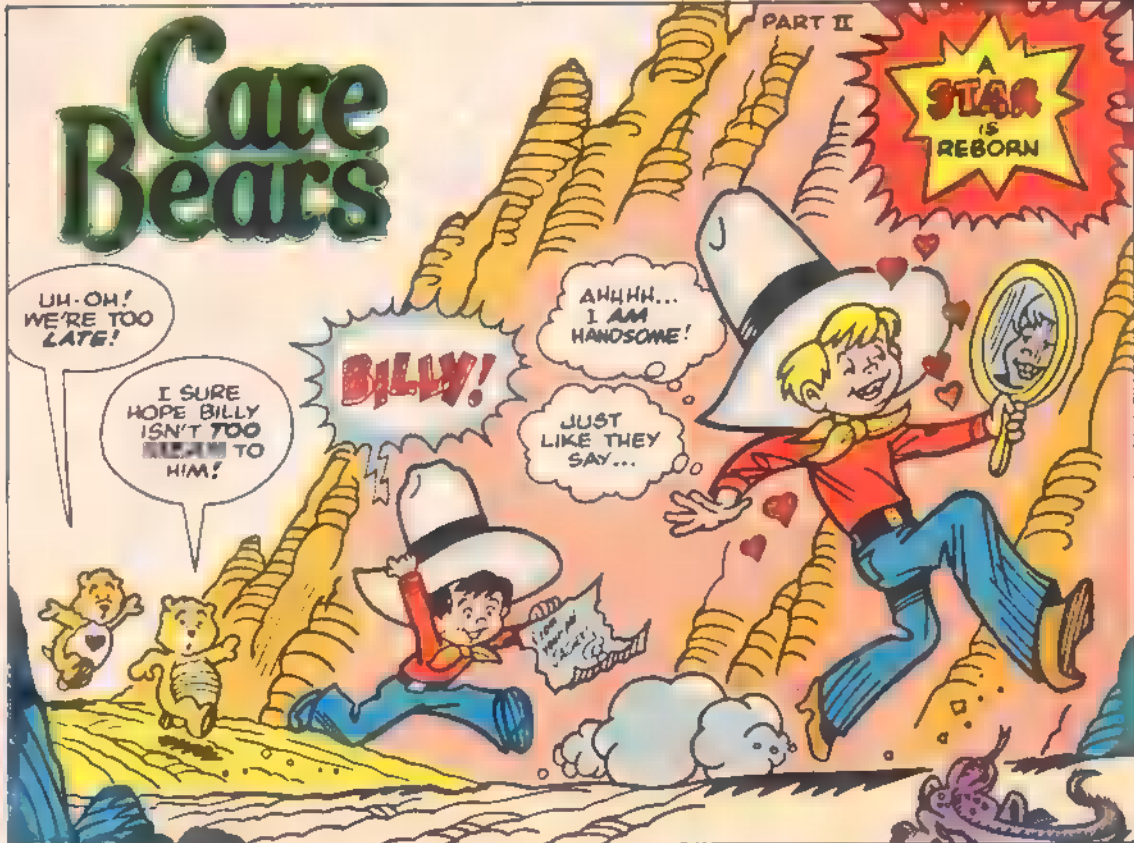
UH-OH!
WE'RE TOO
LATE!

I SURE
HOPE BILLY
ISN'T TOO
LATE TO
HIM!

BILLY!

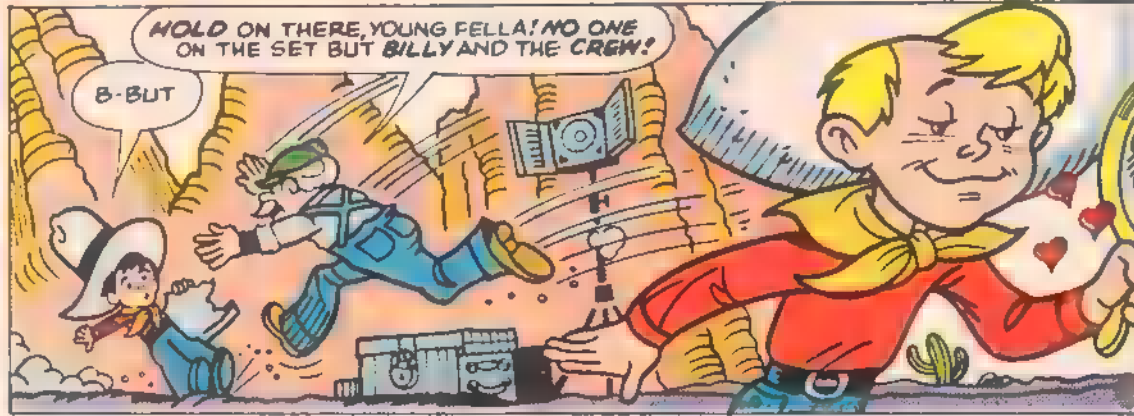
AHHH...
I AM
HANDSOME!

JUST
LIKE THEY
SAY...



HOLD ON THERE, YOUNG FELLA! NO ONE
ON THE SET BUT BILLY AND THE CREW!

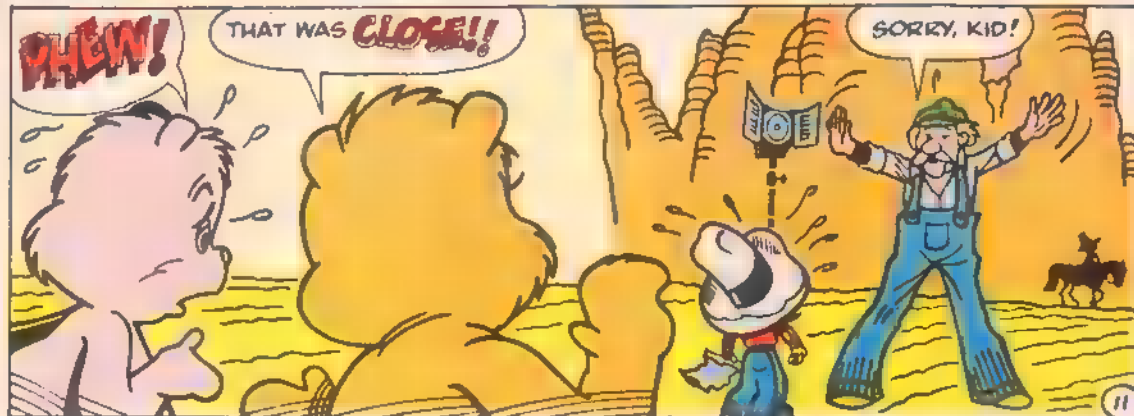
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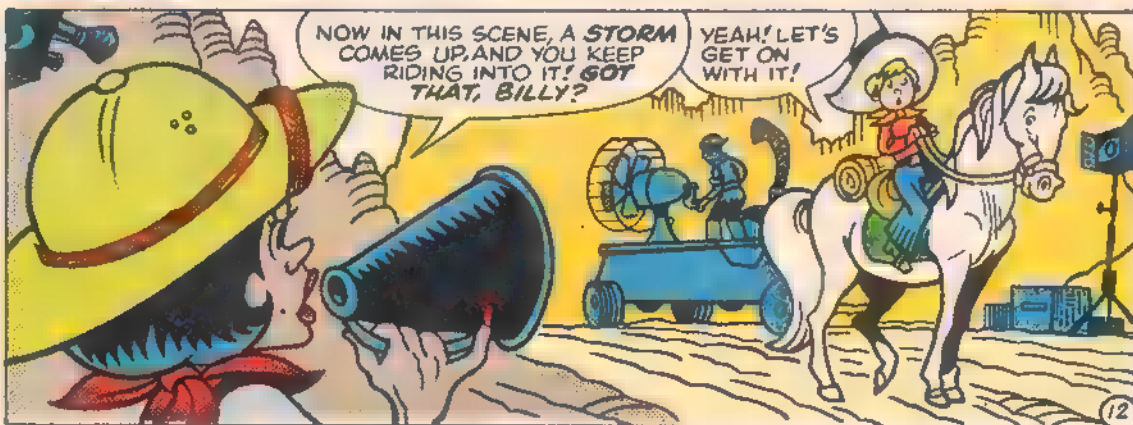
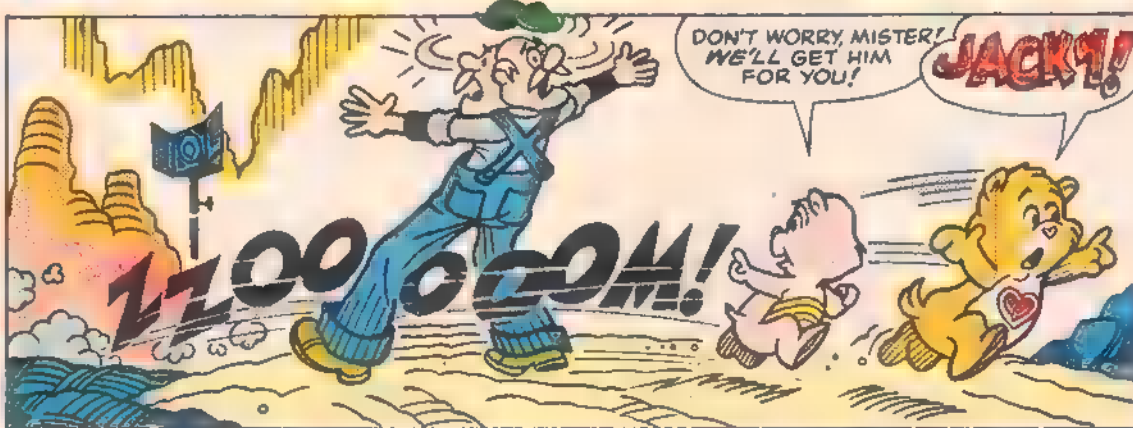
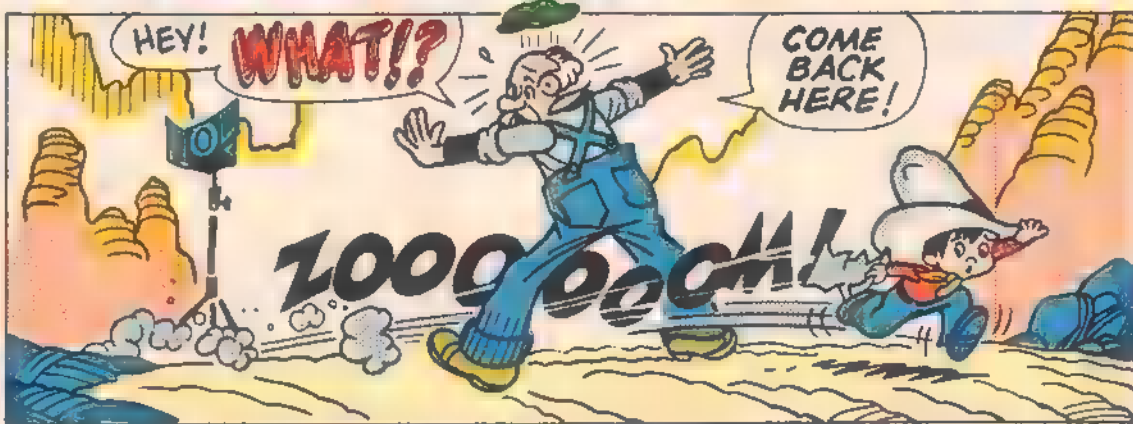
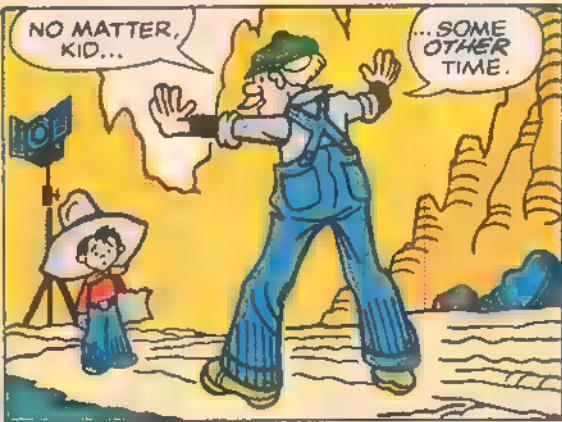
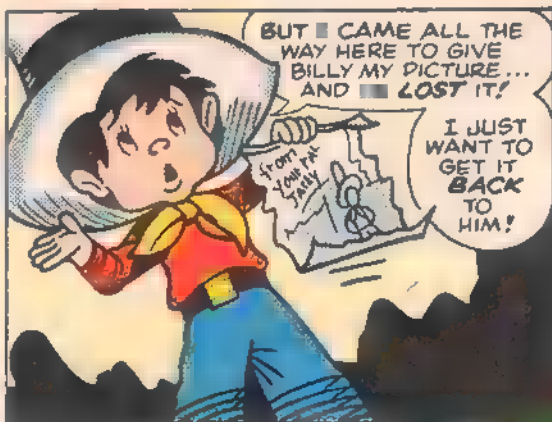


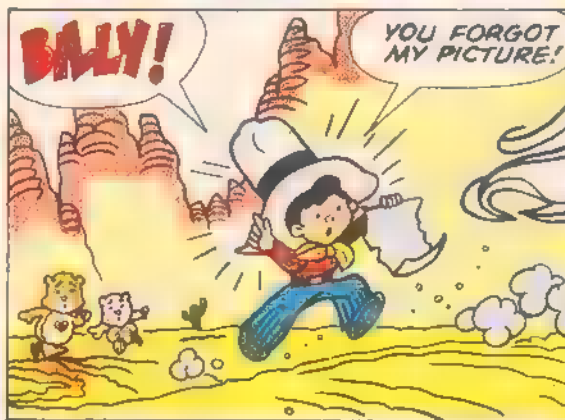
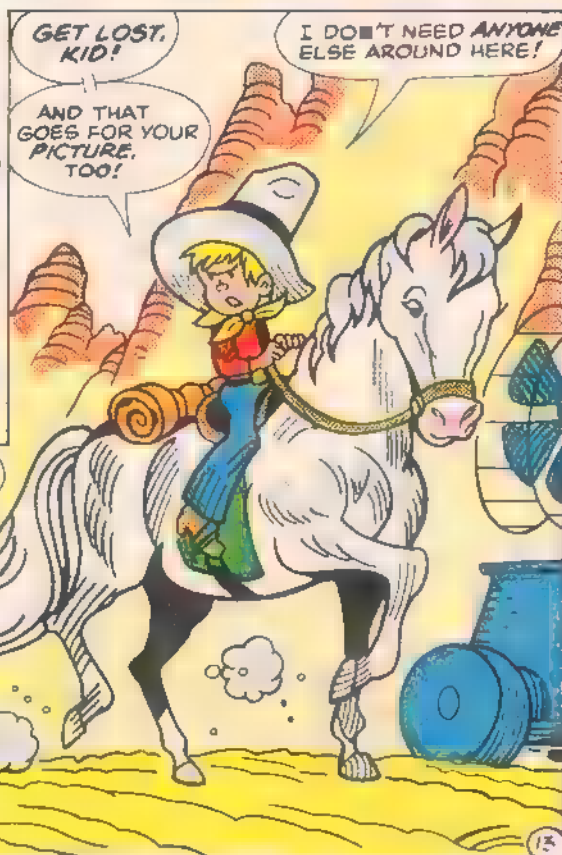
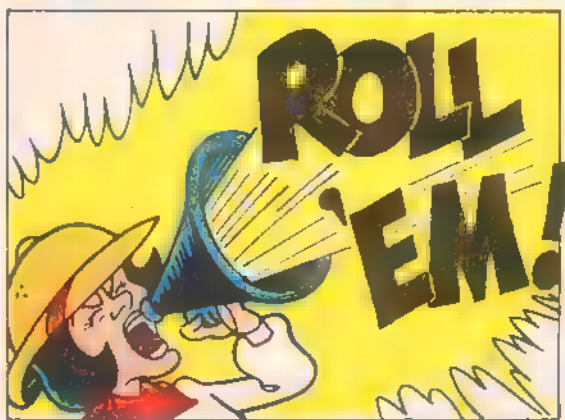
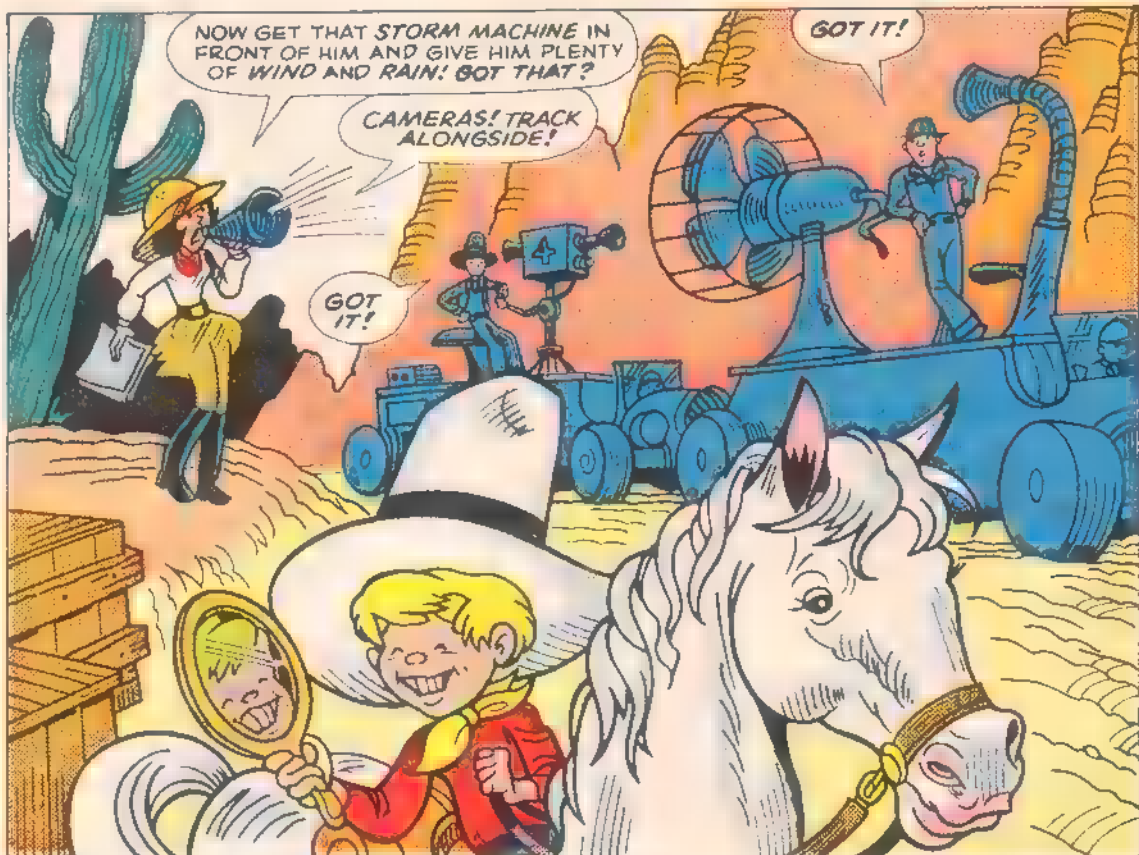
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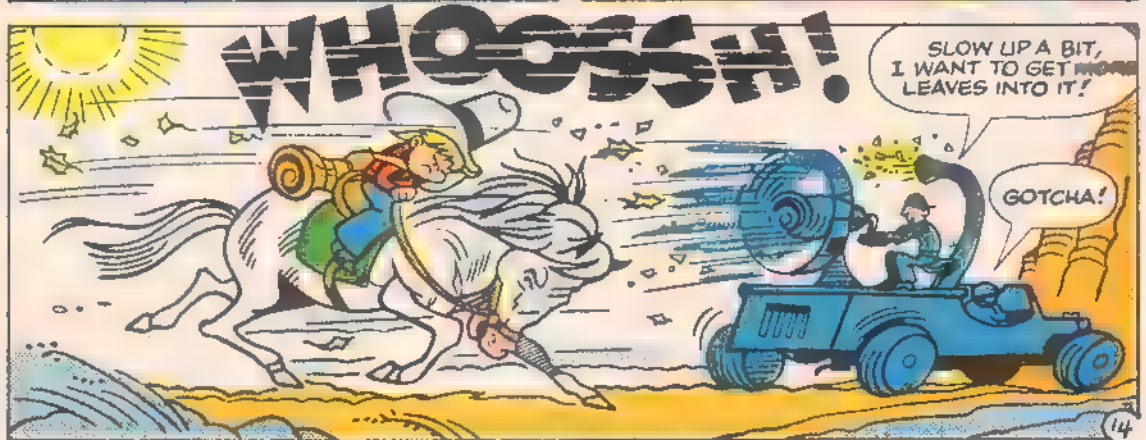
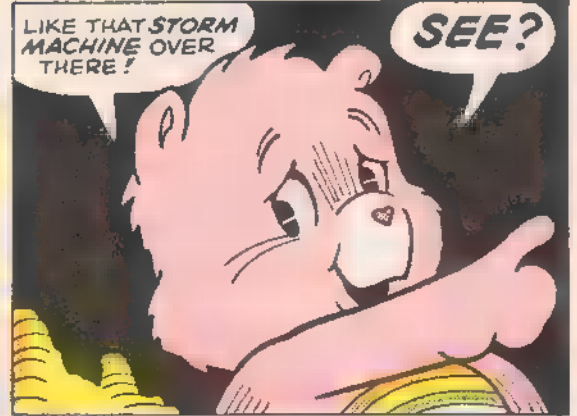
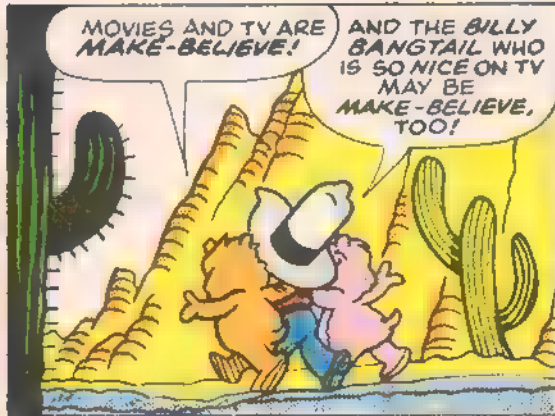
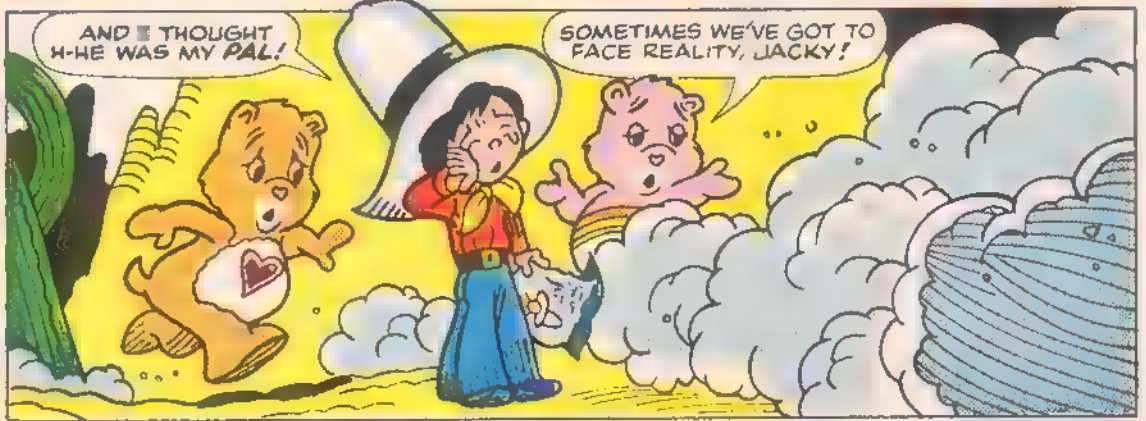
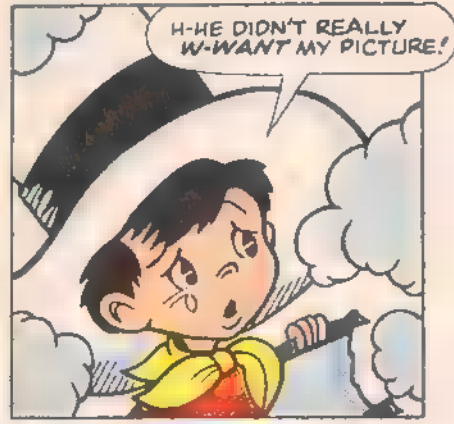
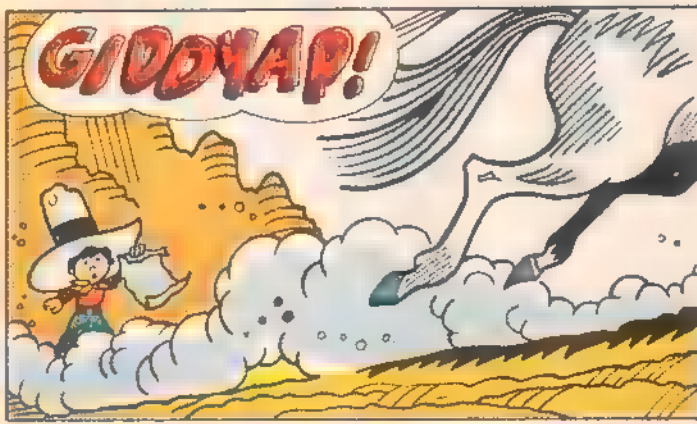
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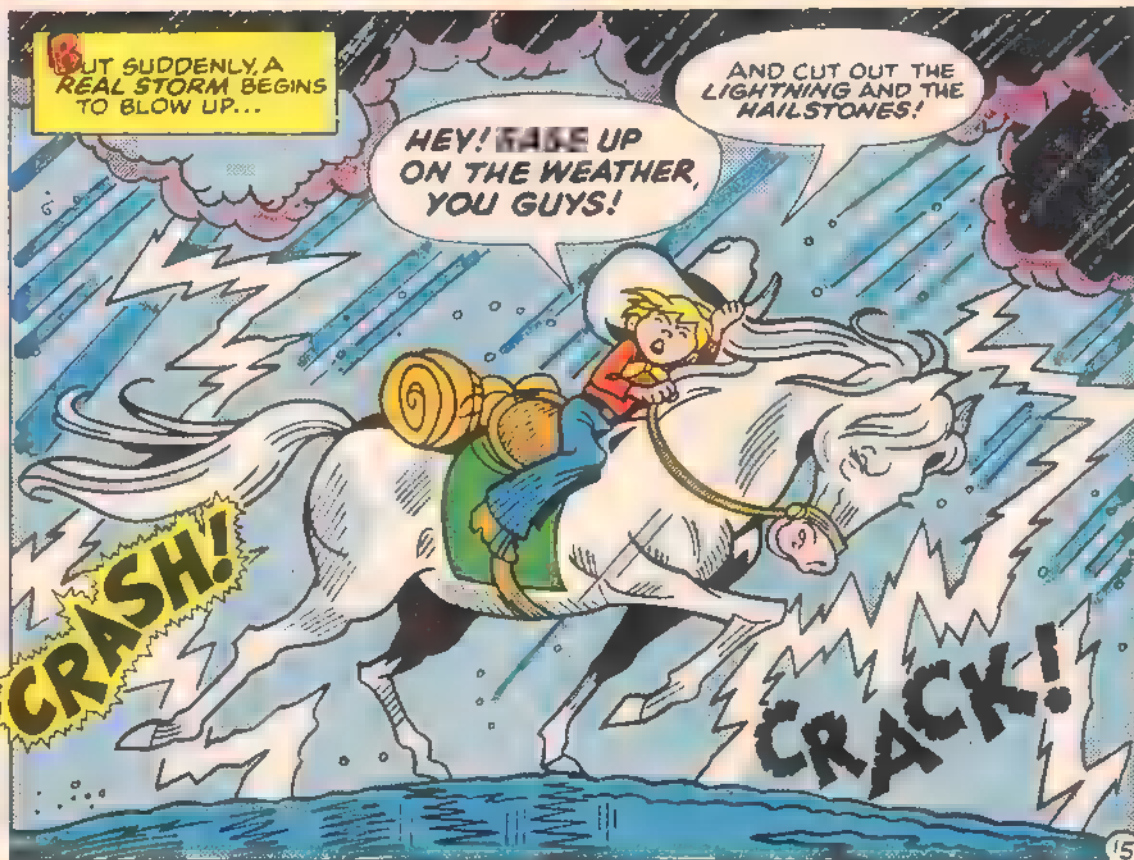
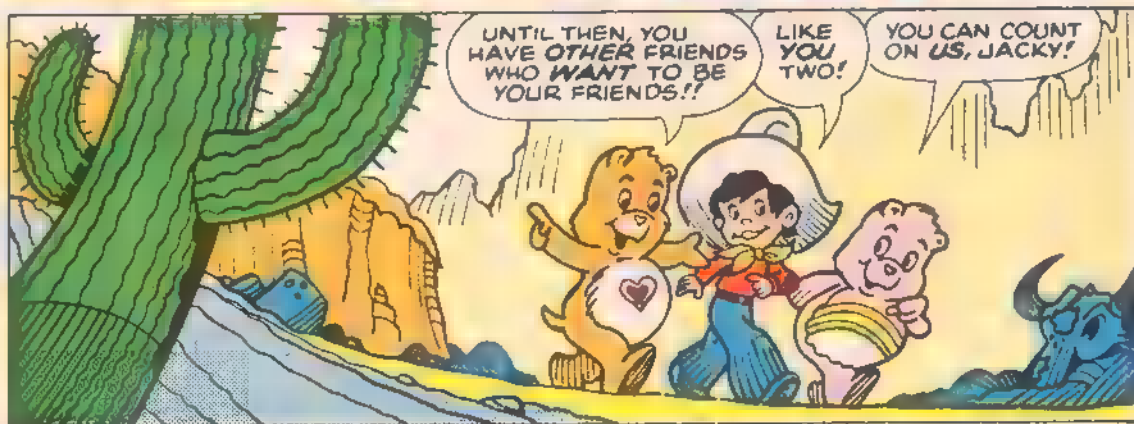
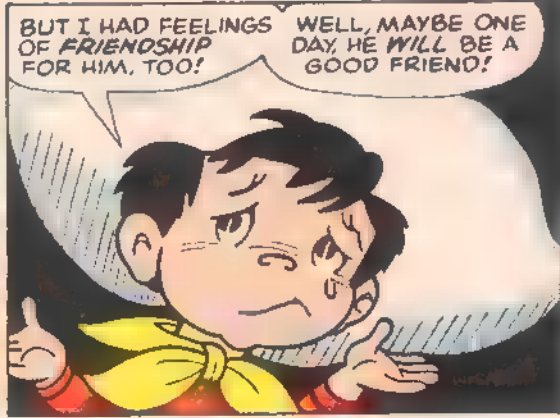
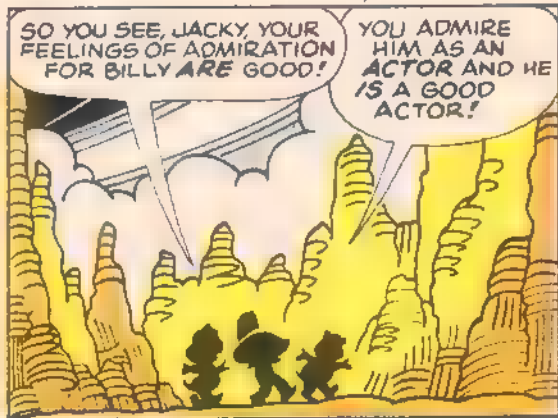
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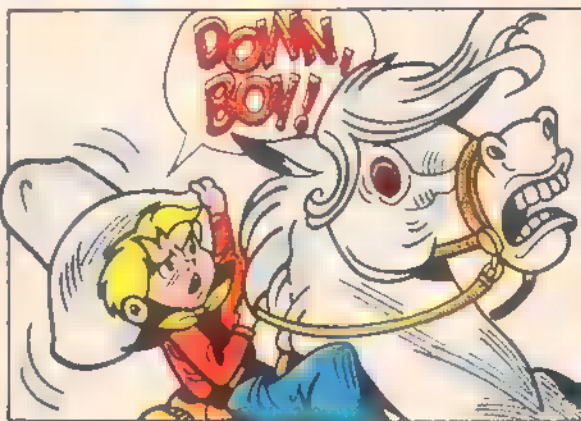
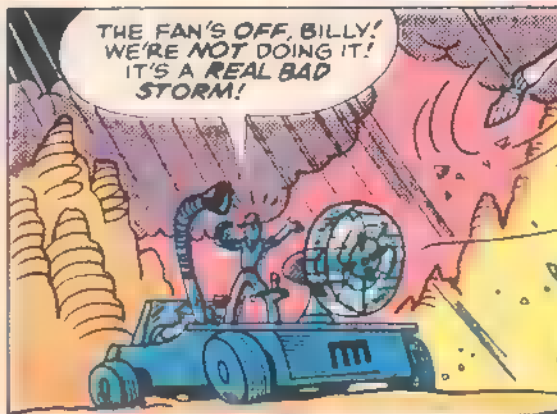
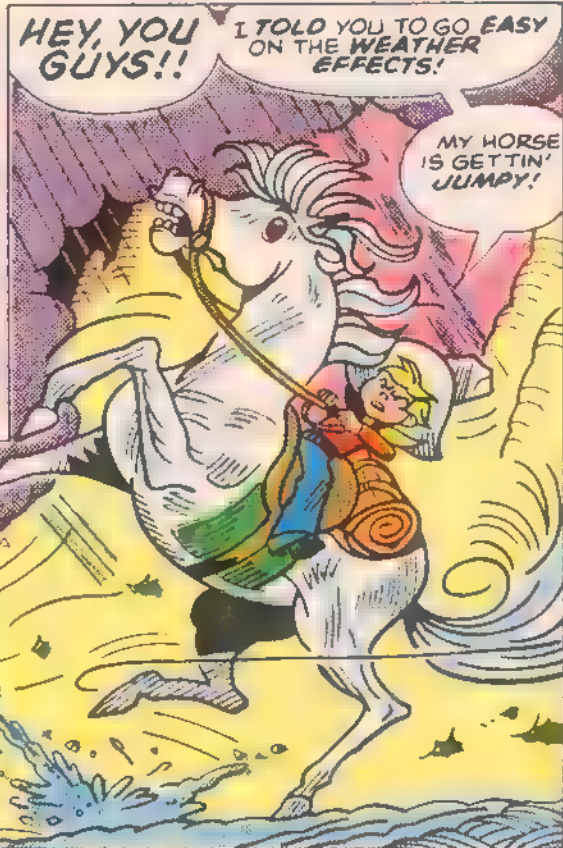
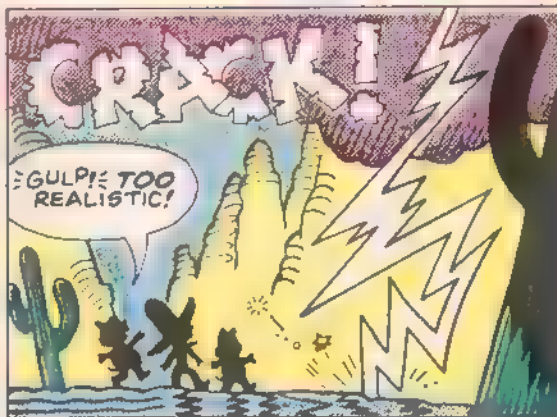
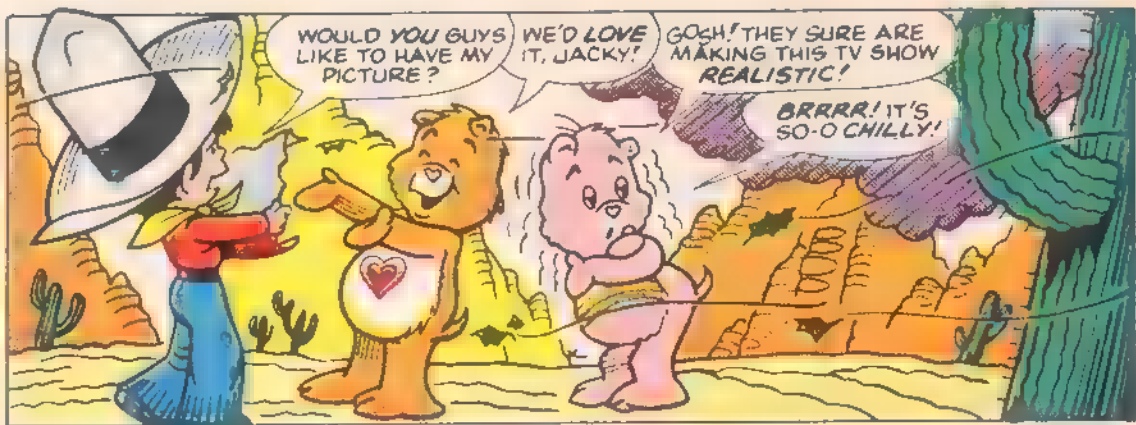
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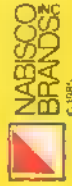
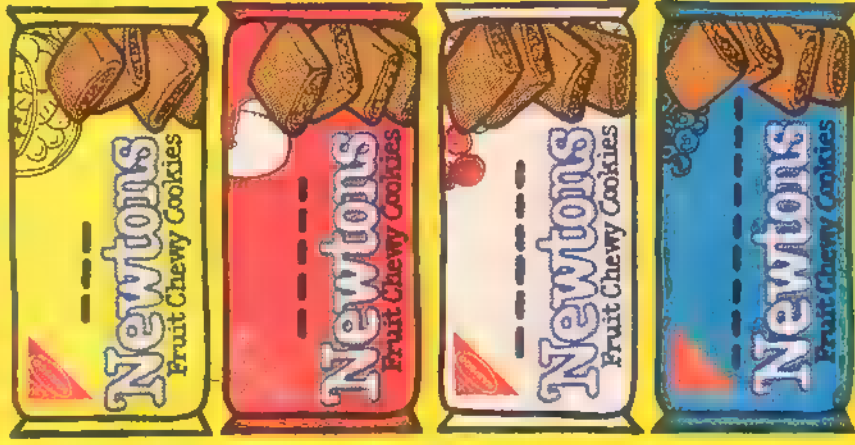
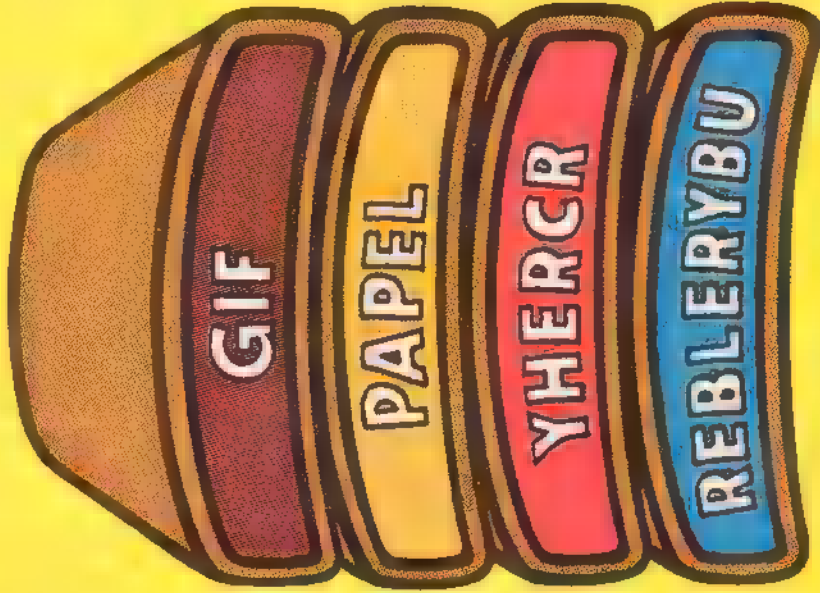
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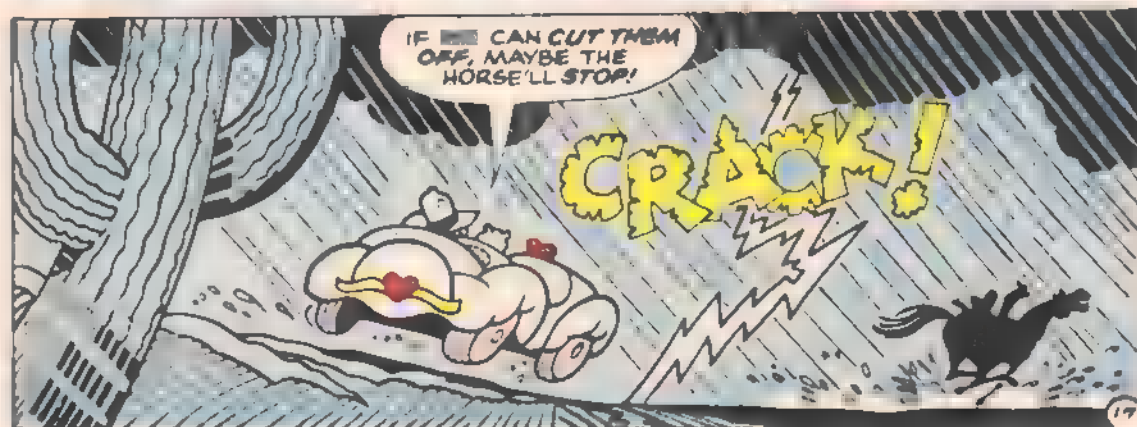
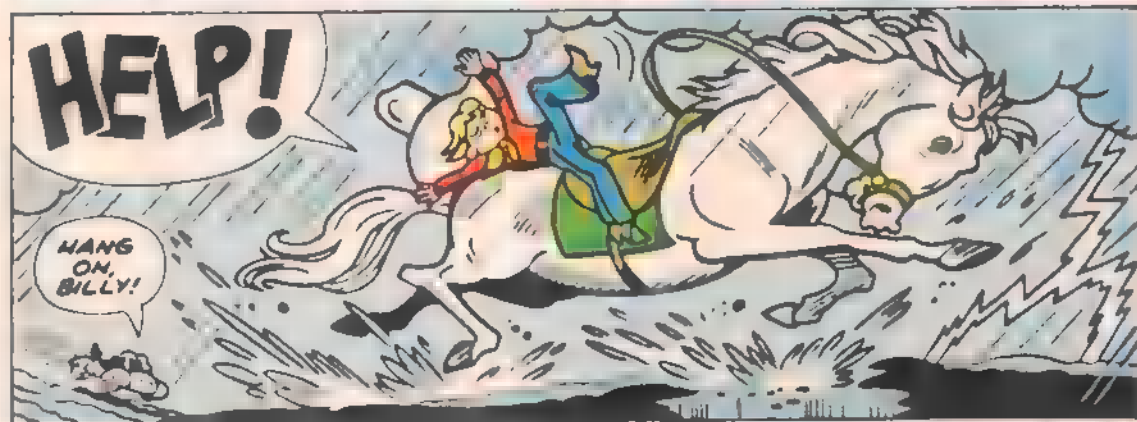
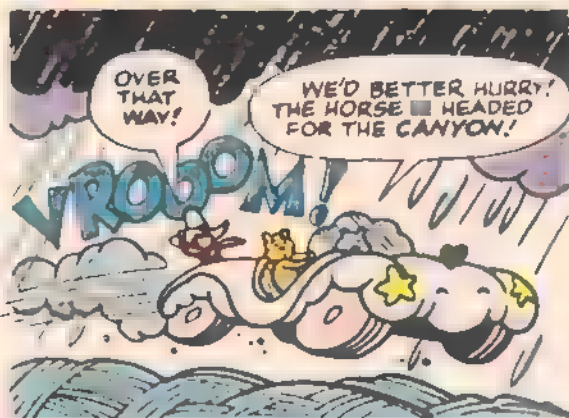
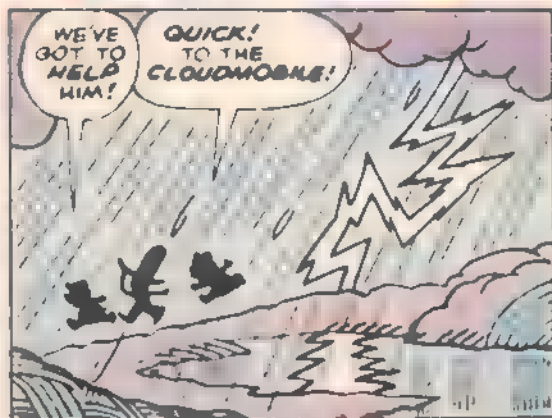
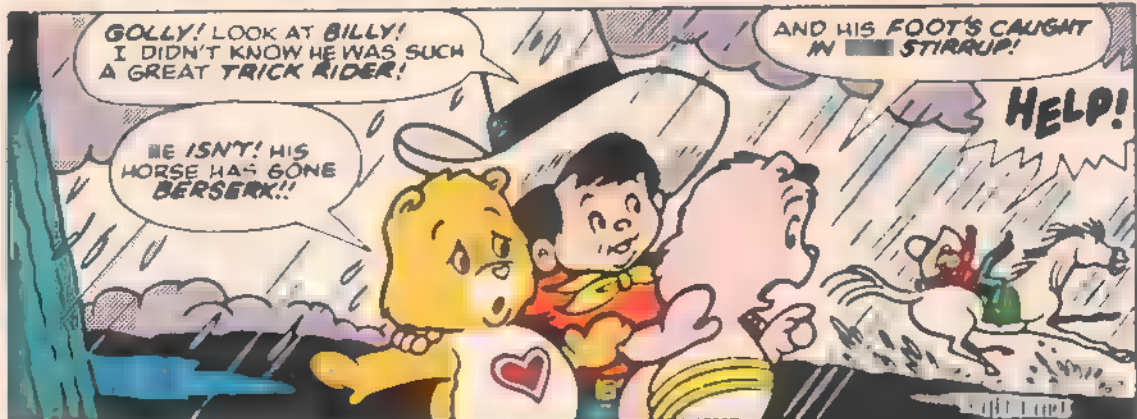
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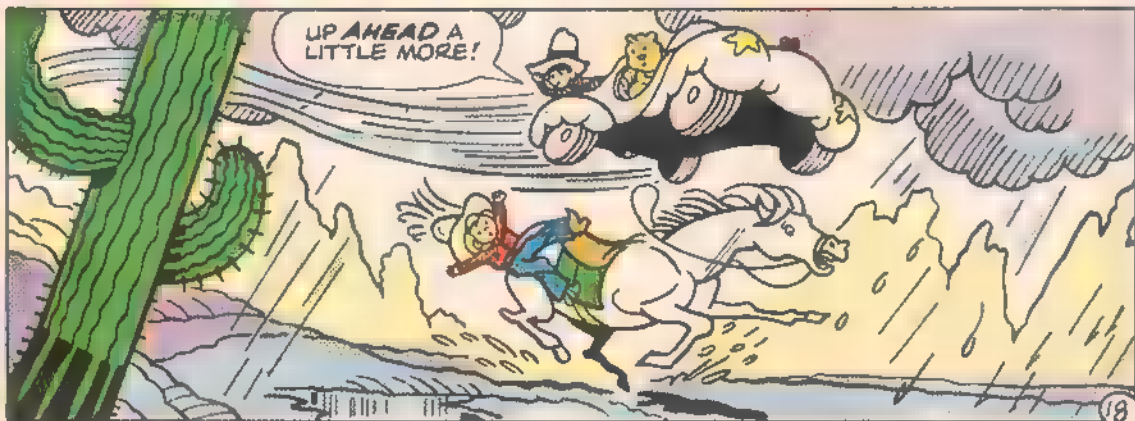
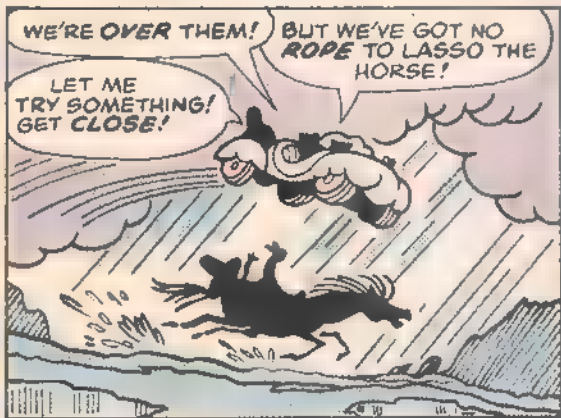
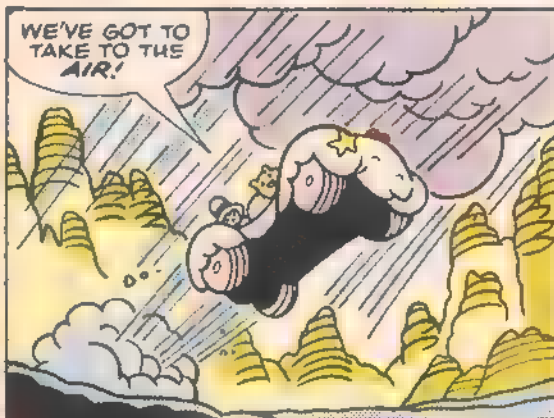
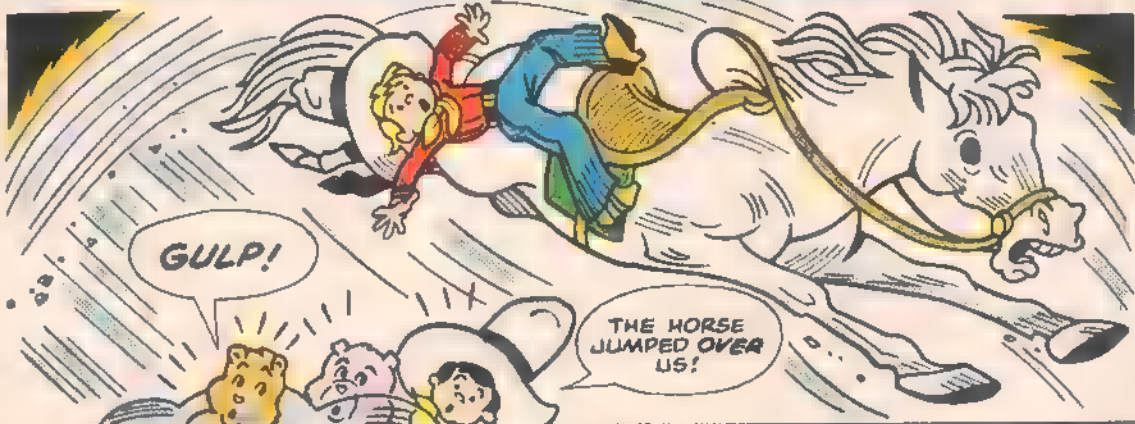
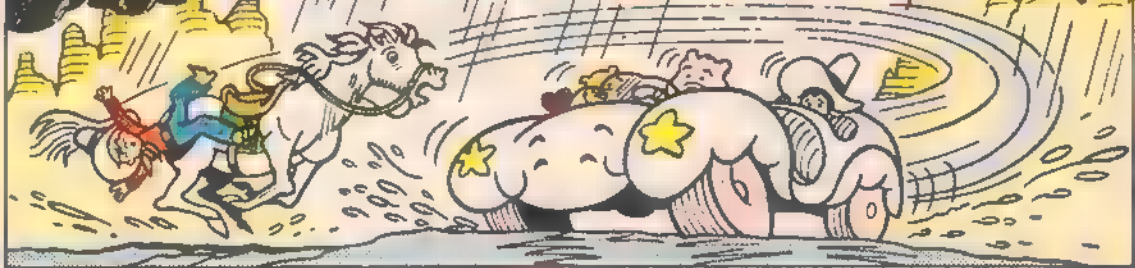
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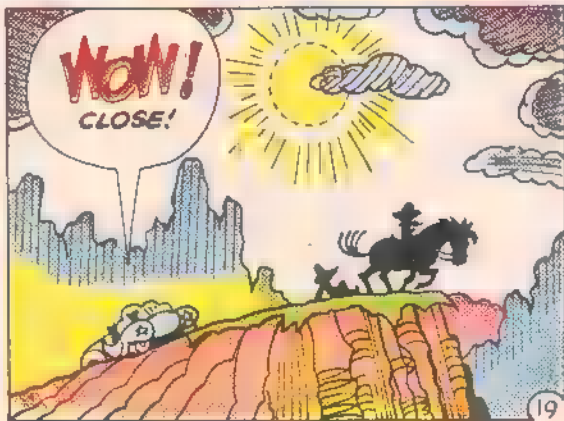
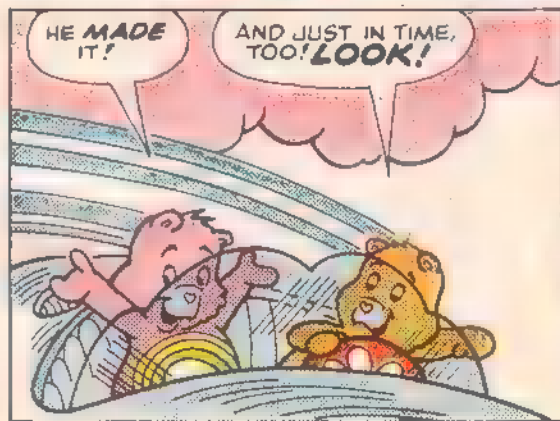
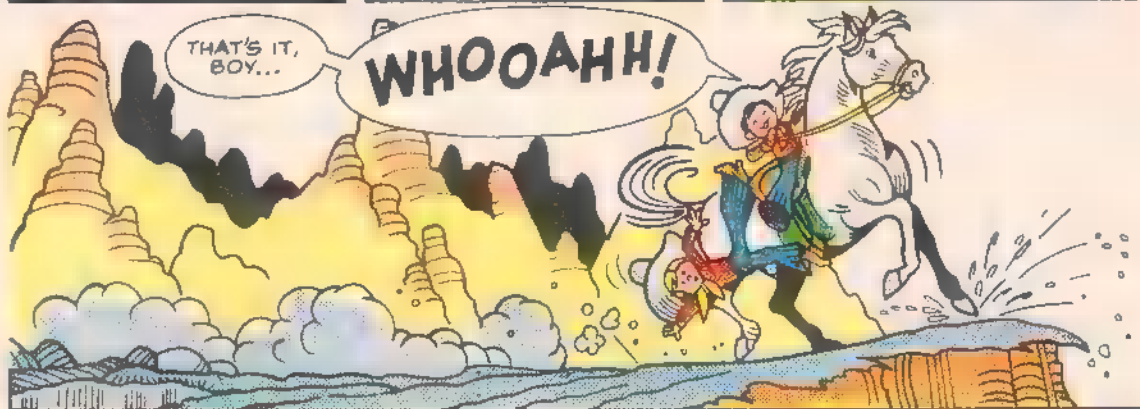
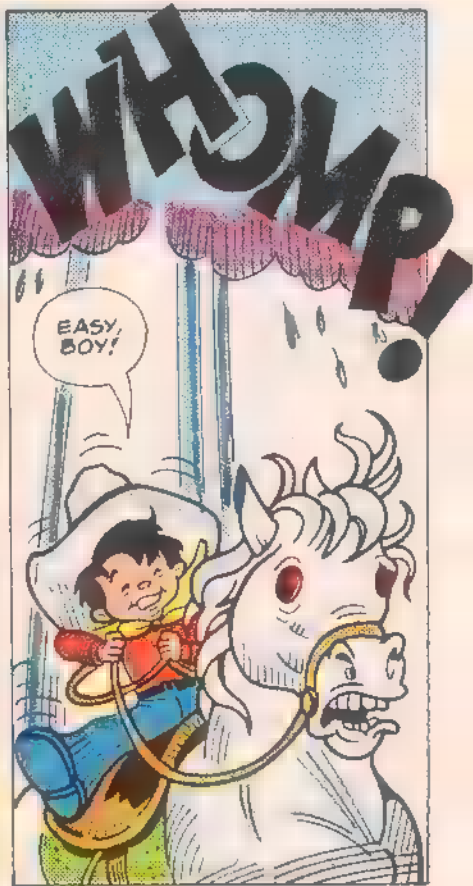
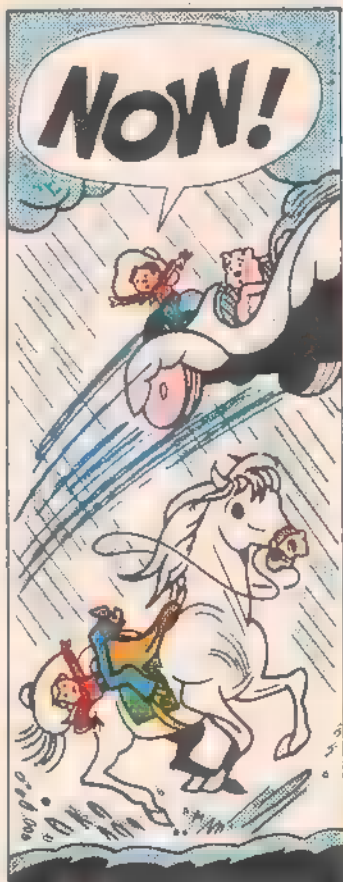
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★★★★ YAHOO! Have you been following all of the exciting developments in THE SECRET LIFE OF TOP DOG? Right on the TD's highly acclaimed team-up with HEATHCLIFF in Issue #9, our ever-cantankerous canine is joining forces with a certain ever-friendly neighborhood web-slinger! Yes, that's right! TOP DOG meets SPIDER-MAN! It's very first time a STAR character has been a member of the MARVEL UNIVERSE! Sound trumpets! Alert newspapers! Tell your teacher! But, don't TOP DOG #10! (What's next? Joey Jordan join MUTANTS?!!)

★★★★ from its importance, the above story is noteworthy for another reason. It was written by a brand member of the Bulpen ... Jovial GEORGE CARAGONNE ... It's the very first comic book story George has ever had pub-

lished! Remember a few months ago when I wrote a about dreamers who want to break into comic book industry? Well, TOP DOG #10 is proof that some dreams do come true! Let's all welcome George to the team! Way to go, fellal!

★★★★ Another dream come is the long-awaited, much-demanded meeting of the DROIDS and the EWOKS! The story begins in DROIDS #4 and is continued in EWOKS #10. (The collectors among you should also note this is the very time we've had a story which is a single issue of a comic book!)

★★★★ And, now for a of per- inspired by the of recent team-ups in books, assistant editor Nancy Brown is currently planning a rather special team-up of her own. She's getting married! I really have to give Nancy

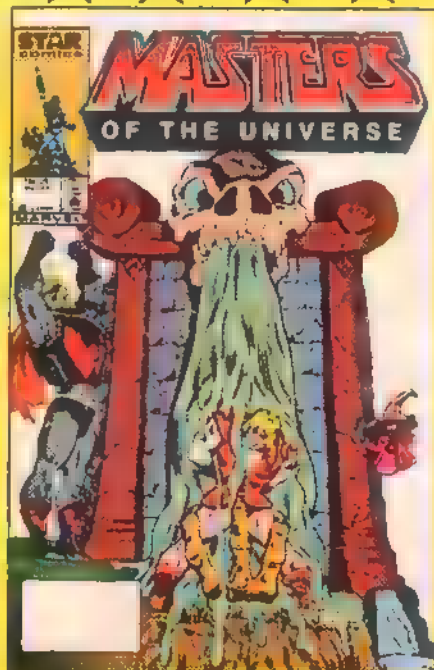
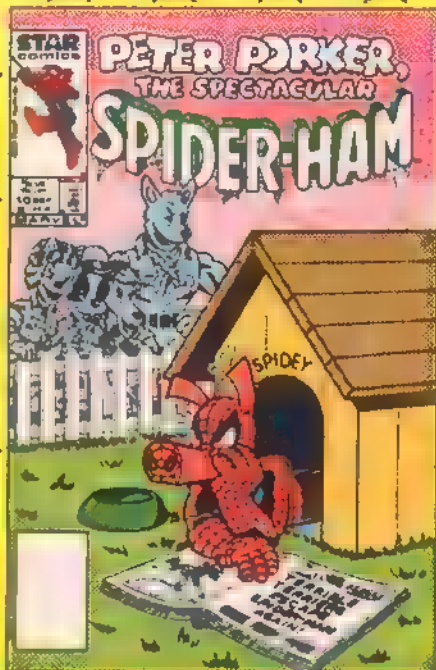
credit. Aside helping editor Jacobson phone freelancers, and coordinate, and proofread all of scripts, penciled and completed artwork for an entire STAR comics, Nancy also the phone every day with caterers, florists, dressmakers, bridesmaids the guy who sweeps up the hall wedding. WHEW! Where she manage to find all time? I'm sure you'll all join with me in wishing her the best of luck! (By the way, Nancy, when you get time, I'd like you put together a letters column the next issue of CARE BEARS ...)

★★★★ That's all for now ... Thanks for being there!

Tom D.

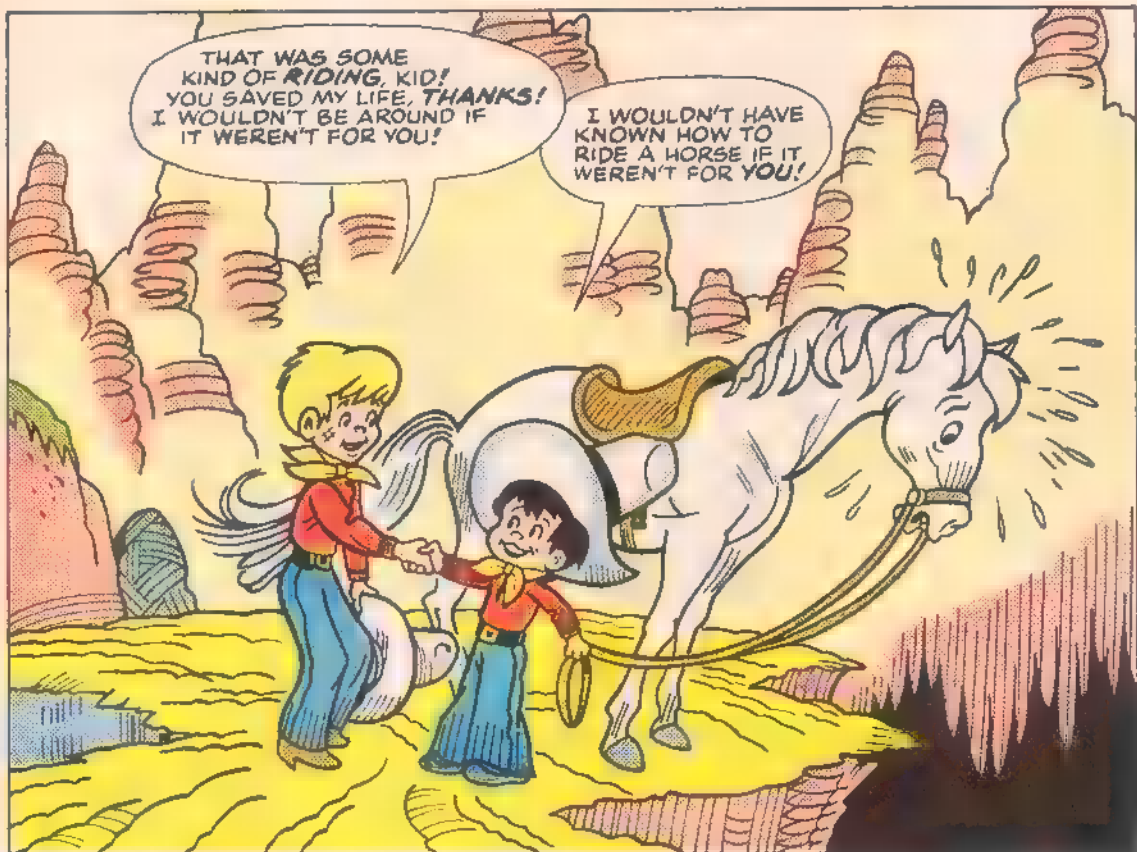
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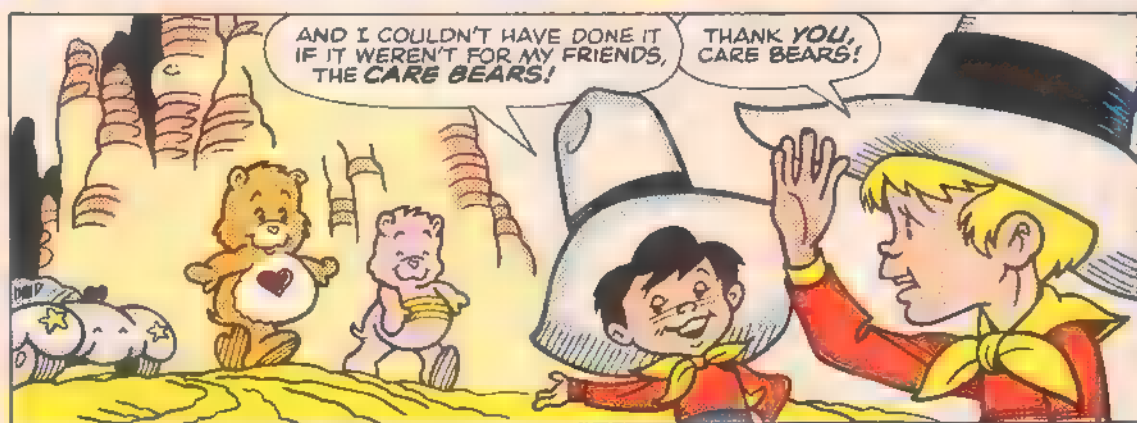
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YOU SAVED MY LIFE, *THANKS!*
I WOULDN'T BE AROUND IF
IT WEREN'T FOR YOU!

I WOULDN'T HAVE
KNOWN HOW TO
RIDE A HORSE IF IT
WEREN'T FOR YOU!



AND I COULDN'T HAVE DONE IT
IF IT WEREN'T FOR MY FRIENDS,
THE *CARE BEARS*!

THANK YOU,
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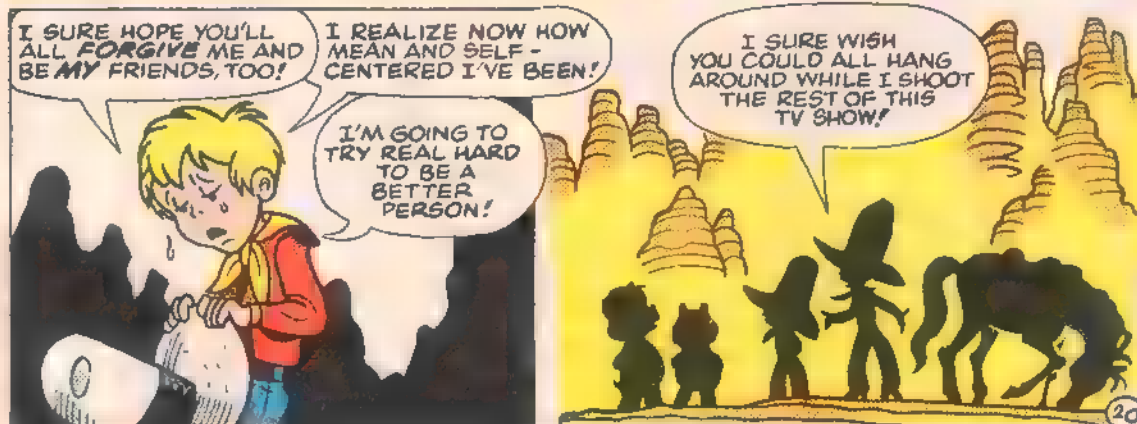


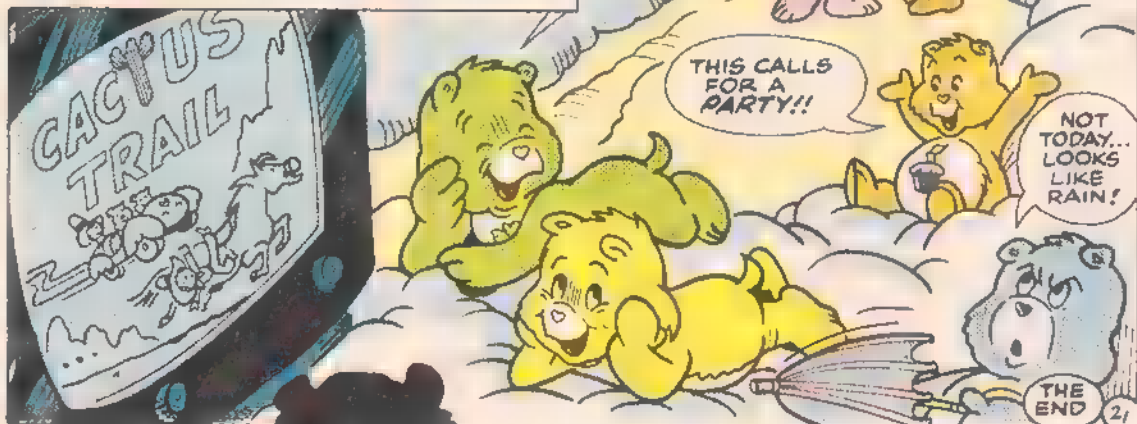
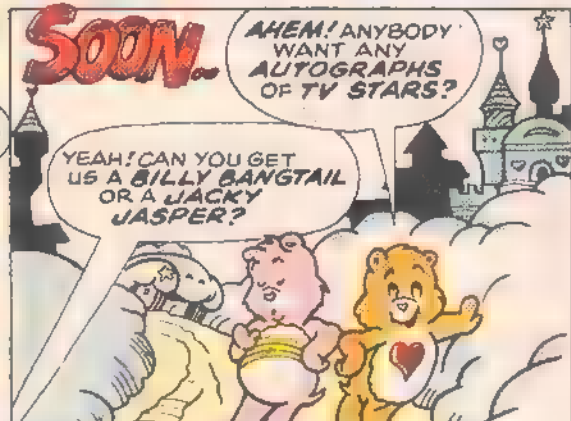
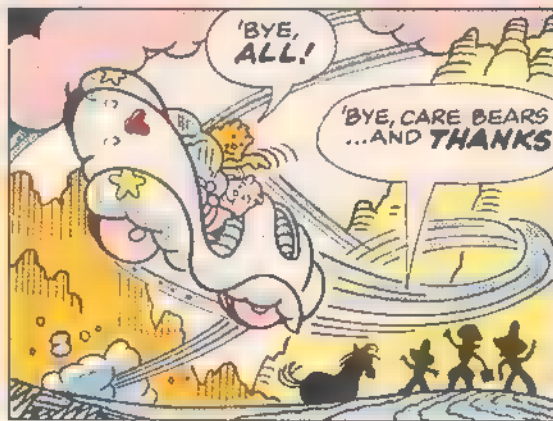
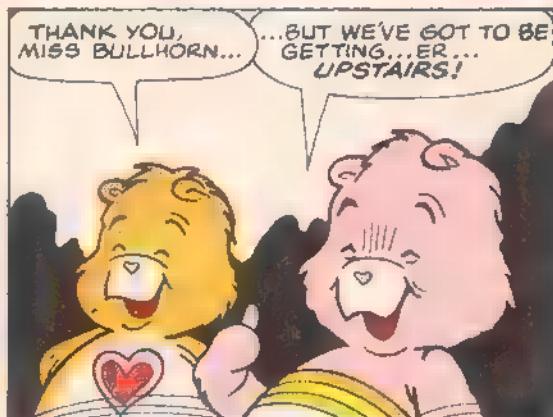
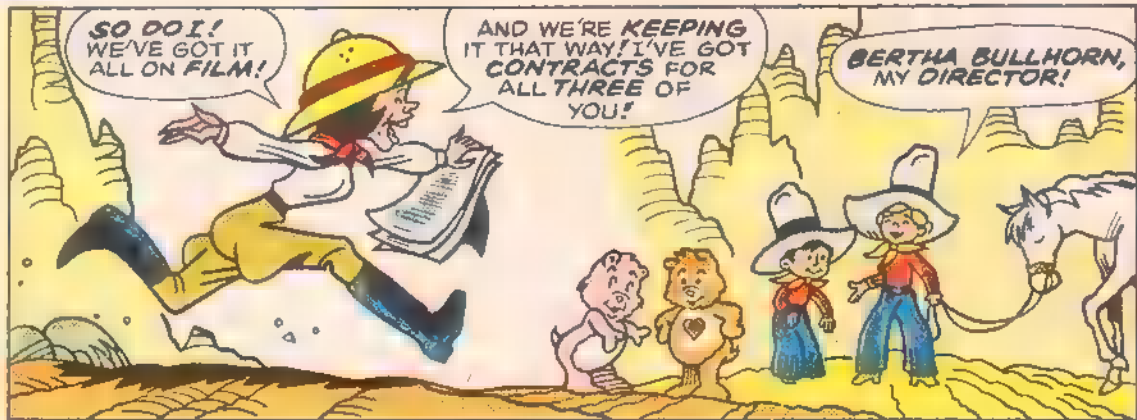
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ALL *FORGIVE* ME AND
BE MY FRIENDS, TOO!

I REALIZE NOW HOW
MEAN AND SELF-
CENTERED I'VE BEEN!

I'M GOING TO
TRY REAL HARD
TO BE A
BETTER
PERSON!

I SURE WISH
YOU COULD ALL HANG
AROUND WHILE I SHOOT
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If you've been following the CARE BEARS on their exciting, often humorous but always fun adventures—or if you're a newcomer to the joyful wonder of the CARE BEARS—there may be questions in your minds about some simple facts concerning them. We urge you to write us your questions, and gladly invite your comments on what you have liked, and would like to see, in the pages of our CARE BEARS comic book. Here are some "Bear essentials," though, for you to know and think about.

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TENDERHEART BEAR is a toasty

warm brown and the heart on his tummy reminds us all of the tenderness he tries to offer. GRAMS BEAR is easily identified by her pink shirt and the pink rose on her tummy. Grams teaches all the little bears valuable lessons that she's learned over the years. WISH BEAR is a light and carefree green with a wishing star on his tummy. He wants to make all your wishes come true! BIRTHDAY BEAR thinks every day is a day for a party. The cupcake and candle on his tummy let us know what's on his mind. He wouldn't think of missing your birthday! SHARE BEAR's a lovely shade of Springtime lavender. The ice cream soda with two straws on his tummy reminds us all that he enjoys sharing!

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Do you know which bears we haven't mentioned yet? Which ones are your favorites? Next issue we'll introduce the rest of the Care Bears and also, we'll publish your letters and comments. Have you seen the new Care Bears movie? What did you think of it? Write us and let us know. We care!

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
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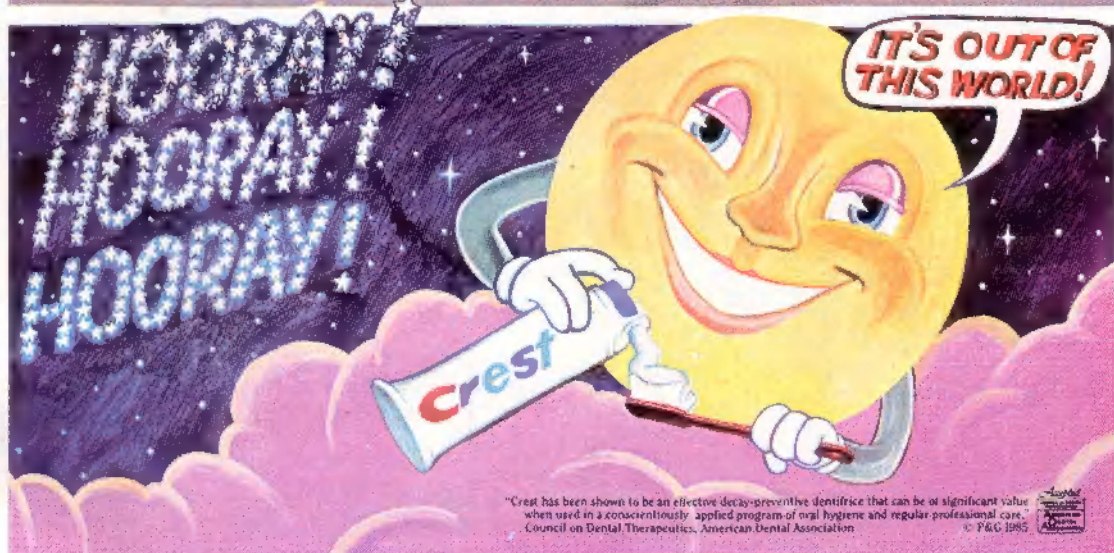


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